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*Subject: ZODIAC KILLER*

*File Number: 9-HO-49911*

*SECTION 4*



*Federal Bureau of Investigation*

FBI

Date: 8/20/70

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Via AIRTELAIRMAIL

(Priority)

*9/17/70*  
**DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)**  
**ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**  
**LATENT-FINGERPRINT SECTION**  
**LATENT CASE NUMBER A-10042**

**FROM:** SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)  
**SUBJECT:** ZODIAC  
 KIDNAP  
 004 Sacramento

On 8/18/70, Officer [REDACTED] Police  
 Department, Fairfield, California, suggested one  
 [REDACTED] as a suspect in the ZODIAC Killings.

*b7c*  
 To the [REDACTED] is a [REDACTED] presently attached  
 [REDACTED] California. He was born [REDACTED] and has military  
 serial number [REDACTED]

It is requested that his fingerprints which  
 are on file in the Identification Division be compared  
 with the unidentified latent prints previously developed  
 in this case.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

ST-120

REC-88 9-49911-141

- 3 - Bureau
  - 1 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Info)
  - 2 - Sacramento
- FBB:jk      REC-88 9-49911-141  
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Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

ST-180 LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

RECEIVED REC-886-111-741

LATENT CASE NO.

August 31, 1970

cc: SAC, Sacramento

REFERENCE: [REDACTED] 8/20/70

Fingerprints not forwarded to Identification Division  
Time, [REDACTED]

SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED  
 [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED]

SEARCHED  
INDEXED  
SERIALIZED  
FILED  
FBI - SACRAMENTO  
AUG 31 1970

John Egan, Director

6 SEP

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 8/24/70 10:10 a.m.

Reference No: 9-68

FBI File No: 9-49911

Received: 8/24/70 jdb

FBI File No. 3-43911  
Lupton Case No. 3-1904

Answer to: SAC, Sacramento

Examination requested by: Addressee

**Copy to:**

RE<sup>+</sup>

## ZODIAC EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 8/20/70

Spelling Banks

**Named Suspect:**

196 [REDACTED], DOB [REDACTED] Military

I can't try

Copy of ms. to Room

### Result of examination:

C.I reg. 8/24-1974

### Examination by

Evidence rated by:

C I NTC [REDACTED] as shown above 8/26/1976

b7C Lat. fignts grew reptd not & fignts one [REDACTED] (maybe)  
[REDACTED], now base [REDACTED] CG-sec, [REDACTED]  
100 110 (no bus) 1 2

Examination completed 1:30 PM Time 8/26/70 Date Dictated 8/26/70 Date return

平均风速为 1.1m/s，风向朝向 100°左右。

(DRAFT) Preliminary analysis

ANSWER KEYS

AIRMASS

#### Priority

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (4-49411)  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY  
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (4-2291)  
SUBJECT: BURGALY  
TO: LOS ANGELES

The San Francisco arrived to Sacramento

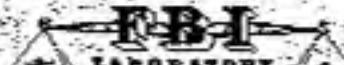
Enclosed herewith is one copy of my post card addressed to San Francisco, California, dated March 10, 1916, which reads as follows: "Enclosed is one copy of my post card.

The enclosure in this matter will furnish the Inspector [REDACTED] homicide details to the Newark Police Department upon 10/10/70. Inspector [REDACTED] advised that the cross under material is well made, heavy which was pasted on to the postcard and was also placed in plain sight and that the signature of the [REDACTED]

The laboratory is doing extensive work on inclusion in their soil and any advice you have would be appreciated.

1. Initial Line: 71  
2. Maximum Depth: 100 ft.  
3. Bottom Type: Mud

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

1 - Lab File

To:

FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)

Date:

October 29, 1970

BODIAC  
EXHIBITION

OO: Sacramento

*John Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

REC-122 FBI File No.

D-49971 142  
D-701015062 11

Examination requested by:

San Francisco

EX-111

Reference:

Airtel 10/18/70

Examination requested:

Document

Priority:

OCT 29 1970

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Enclosure (S) (2 Lab report)

2 - Sacramento (9-68) Enclosure (S) (2 Lab report)

Toines \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosenblatt, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sonnen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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MR

Re. 5718

REPORT  
of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

Re: **FBI, San Francisco (S-2386)**

**ZODIAC**  
**KIDNAP**

Date: October 29, 1970  
FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

October 29, 1970  
S-49911  
D-701015062 LL

Specimens received:

10/15/70

Ques Photocopy of postcard postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CA  
10-15-1970" bearing address "San Francisco Chronicle  
S.Y." (taken from newspaper reading)

Ques Photocopy of reverse side of post card bearing message  
beginning "DEAR HUNTER: You'll hate me..." ending  
"ZODIAC" (taken from newspaper articles)

Result of examination:

The photocopies Ques7 and Ques8 do not contain any  
hand printing and a comparison of them alone with the  
other specimens received previously in this matter was  
feasible. Nothing of significance was noted concerning  
Ques7 and Ques8 which would be of value in identifying the  
source of these specimens or the other specimens received  
in this matter.

The submitted evidence is retained.

To whom \_\_\_\_\_  
SAC \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach: GJB \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Clegg \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gold \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Galvin \_\_\_\_\_  
Saywes \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL ROOM  TELETYPE UNIT

Mr. Tolson  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. Mohr  
Mr. Bishop  
Mr. Breyer [initials] CD  
Mr. Callahan  
Mr. Casper  
Mr. Conrad  
Mr. Felt  
Mr. Gale  
Mr. Hagen  
Mr. Tavel  
Mr. Walters  
Mr. Sayara  
Tele. Room  
Miss Holmes  
Miss Gandy

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

MR. 011 SR. PLAINTEXT

OCT 21 1970

630PM URGENT 10-21-70 LCH

TELETYPE

TO DIRECTOR (9-49911)

CINCINNATI

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (9-9-2296) (P) (SP)

ZODIAC EXTORTION - 99- SACRAMENTO.

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RE SAN FRANCISCO AIRTEL TO BUREAU DATED OCTOBER THIRTEEN,  
LAST, AND SAN FRANCISCO TELEPHONE CALL TO ASAC ODD JACOBSON  
DATED OCTOBER TWENTY ONE, INSTANT.

FOR CONFIRMATION OF CINCINNATI, UNKNOWN THIS MATTER  
THROUGH CORRESPONDENCE TO LOCAL SAN FRANCISCO NEWSPAPERS  
DESCRIBES HIMSELF AS ZODIAC AND PRESENTLY CLAIMS TO HAVE  
MURDERED THIRTEEN PERSONS. INSPECTOR [REDACTED]  
HOMICIDE DETAIL, SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT, BELIEVES  
UNKNOWN SUBJECT DEFINITELY RESPONSIBLE FOR AT LEAST SEVEN  
MURDERS WHICH WERE ACCOMPLISHED BY SHOOTING AND STABBING.

[REDACTED] ADVISED ON OCTOBER TWENTY ONE, INSTANT THAT HE  
HAD BEEN CALLED BY CINCINNATI POST AND TIMES STAR OCT 21 1970  
NEWSPAPER AND ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] [REDACTED] MAPS  
AMERICAN HAD BEEN ARRESTED BY CINCINNATI POLICE DEPARTMENT ON  
MURDER WARRANT ISSUED BY BUTLER COUNTY, OHIO. NEWSPAPER

END PAGE ONE  
ENCLOSURE

MR. SULLIVAN FOR THE DIRECTOR

10-21-70  
BHC  
FBI-SAC  
10-21-70

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SOURCE ADVISED [REDACTED] HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH MURDER OF SIXTEEN YEAR OLD GIRL AND NOTED VICTIM'S BODY HAD BEEN MUTILATED INCLUDING THE SUPERFICIAL CUTTING OF A Z ON THE ABDOMEN AND EXCISION OF THE NIPPLE OF LEFT BREAST. SOURCE NOTED

[REDACTED] HAD REPORTEDLY BEEN IN SAN FRANCISCO DURING AUGUST, NINETEEN SEVENTY. [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT ON AUGUST FOUR, LAST AND AUGUST THIRTY, LAST BRENDAN VANCE, NF,

NEGO FEMALE TWENTY THREE YEARS AND JANICE SMITH NF, TWENTY TWO YEARS WERE FOUND MURDERED IN SAN FRANCISCO. BOTH WERE PROSTITUTES

WORKING IN SAN FRANCISCO AREA. BOTH DIED FROM SEVERE BLOWS TO THE HEAD. SMITH'S BODY WAS MUTILATED EXTENSIVELY INCLUDING REMOVAL OF NIPPLE FROM LEFT BREAST. VANCE'S BODY HAD NUMEROUS BURNS OF TORSO AND BREASTS.

SOURCE BELIEVES BOTH VICTIMS WERE ABDUCTED AT GUN POINT AND TAKEN TO ABANDONED DWELLING AND MURDERED.

[REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED [REDACTED] SHERIFF'S OFFICE BUTLER COUNTY SO,

ON OCTOBER TWENTY, LAST FOR PURPOSE OF EVALUATING INFORMATION

END PAGE TWO

PAGE THREE

SF 9-2296

FURNISHED BY NEWSPAPER SOURCE AND ALSO TO DETERMINE [REDACTED]  
WHEREABOUTS DURING AUGUST, LAST AND PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS.

[REDACTED] STATED HE WAS UNWILLING TO DISCUSS ANY OTHER CASE UNTIL  
[REDACTED] TRIED AND CONVICTED FOR LOCAL MURDER. BUREAU

MAJORITY REQUESTED TO HAVE CINCINNATI OFFICE CONTACT BUTLER  
COUNTY SO TO OBTAIN MAJOR CASE PRINTS AND PHOTOGRAPH OF  
[REDACTED] AND IF POSSIBLE, DETERMINE [REDACTED] WHEREABOUTS

DURING AUGUST, LAST. IF IT APPEARS [REDACTED] WAS IN SAN FRANCISCO  
AREA AND MAY BE WILLING TO DISCUSS HIS ACTIVITIES AND SO HAS

NO OBJECTION TO INTERVIEW. [REDACTED] WOULD TRAVEL TO  
CINCINNATI FOR PURPOSE OF INTERVIEW. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

AM COPY SENT TO SACRAMENTO.

E-N-D

HOLD

CC-MR. ROSEN

October 22, 1970  
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Zodiac is the alias of the West Coast murderer who claims to have killed 13 people and who is believed by police authorities definitely responsible for seven murders. We are not actively investigating the murders but conduct out of state investigation for local authorities on limited basis. Several Zodiac threats have been mailed and the Bureau has an Extortion case, however, U. S. Attorney has indicated preference for prosecution by local authorities on murder charges.

Attached discloses a [REDACTED] arrested in Ohio on a charge of murder wherein victim's body was mutilated including the cutting of a "Z" on her abdomen. Two Negro prostitutes were found murdered in San Francisco during 8/70 with mutilations similar to the Ohio death. San Francisco authorities requested assistance in obtaining major case prints, photographs and whereabouts of [REDACTED] during 8/70. If approved, Cincinnati will conduct the limited investigation requested.

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9-49911-145

OCTOBER 22, 1970

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I - Mr. [REDACTED]

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TO SAC, CINCINNATI  
FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (94-9911) - 145

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EX-113

TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, OG: SC.

REPORT TO BE AND CI THE INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION.

IN PURSUIT OF THE FUGITIVE FROM CI TO CONTACT SHERIFF COUNTY

F. B. I. FOR INFORMATION ON MAJOR CASE PECES AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF

[REDACTED] AND IF POSSIBLE INFORMATION [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

DETACHMENT ATTACHED HERETO. IN VIEW OF REQUEST EXPRESSED BY

SHERIFF DEPUTY, HAMILTON COUNTY, SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AND PREVIOUS LOCAL

MEMPHIS CHARACTERS AND INFORMATION ON [REDACTED] SHOULD BE CONDUCTED BY

DEP. ASSISTANT ATTACHEE TO ANNOTATE HIS CHAMBERS BY ENDING THE

ANSWERED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN CALIFORNIA CAN CONDUCT SUCH

INVESTIGATION. ATTACHMENT COPIES SENT TO SF AND DC.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

I - [REDACTED] (94-9911) (ATTACHMENT)  
I - [REDACTED] (94-9911)

OCT 22 1970

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NOTE: See SR:tel to Bu & CI 10/21/70 with note of General  
Investigative Division dated 10/22/70.

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_

Galeman \_\_\_\_\_

Mohr \_\_\_\_\_

Bishop \_\_\_\_\_

Brennan (D.C.) \_\_\_\_\_

Callahan \_\_\_\_\_

Casper \_\_\_\_\_

Conrad \_\_\_\_\_

Dale \_\_\_\_\_

DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_

Rosen \_\_\_\_\_

Tavel \_\_\_\_\_

Watson \_\_\_\_\_

Source \_\_\_\_\_

Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_

Holmes \_\_\_\_\_

Conley \_\_\_\_\_

58 OCT 29 1970

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTIONYOUR FILE NO. 9-2296  
FBI FILE NO. 9-49911  
LATENT CASE NO. A-10042

October 26, 1970

TO: SAC, San Francisco

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ZOOLOGIC EXAMINATION

REFERENCE: Airtel 10-19-70  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco  
SPECIMENS:

The requested latent print examination is being conducted and you will be advised of the results upon completion.

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OCT 26 1970	
COMM-FBI	

Trans. \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Subject \_\_\_\_\_  
Division, C.I.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
Call No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Case No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Courted \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Rec'd \_\_\_\_\_  
Wallace \_\_\_\_\_  
Report No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Day \_\_\_\_\_

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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Date: 10/23/70

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Via

**TELETYPE**

(Priority)

*Mr.*  
**TO:** DIRECTOR (MAIL) (6709911) AND SAN FRANCISCO  
 (9-2296)  
**FROM:** CINCINNATI (9-2455)

**ZODIAC EXTORTION - OO: SACRAMENTO**

RE SF TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, OCTOBER TWENTY-TWO.  
 LAST AND DIRECTOR TELETYPE TO CJ, OCTOBER TWENTY-THREE  
 INSTANT.

[REDACTED] BUTLER COUNTY SO, HAMILTON,  
 OHIO FURNISHED PHOTOGRAPH OF [REDACTED] PHOTOGRAPH  
 BEING FORWARDED BY SEPARATE CORRESPONDENCE.  
 STATED MAJOR CASE PRINTS WERE TAKEN AND ARRELIN IN CUSTODY  
 OF BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION, LONDON, OHIO [REDACTED]  
 HAS RETAINED COUNCIL AND SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT DESIRED NOT  
 TO FINGERPRINT SUSPECT. BUTLER COUNTY SO UNABLE TO [REDACTED] REC-4  
 AUTHORIZE ANY INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED] SUGGESTED [REDACTED] OCT 26  
 THAT SPPD OBTAIN AUTHORIZATION FOR INTERVIEW DIRECTLY [REDACTED]

**Bureau**  
 1 - Cincinnati  
 1 - Sacramento  
 Approved

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NOV 3 1970 Special Agent in Charge

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Date

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b7c FROM BUTLER COUNTY [REDACTED] WENTSCHLER  
BUILDING, HAMILTON, OHIO, FOUR FIVE ZERO ONE TWO.  
TO SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISE SFPD OF ABOVE AND SUGGEST  
DIRECT COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THAT DEPARTMENT AND BUREAU  
OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION TO OBTAIN MAJOR CASE PRINTS  
AND CONTACT WITH BUTLER COUNTY PROSECUTOR TO OBTAIN  
AUTHORIZATION FOR SFPD OFFICERS TO INTERVIEW SUSPECT.

END

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M. Per:  
Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 10/13/70

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Via AIRTELAIRMAIL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)

(ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SACRAMENTO*Oakland Times Herald Call*  
*10/13/70*

Re San Francisco airtel to Sacramento, 9/22/70.

The Identification Division is requested to compare the fingerprints of [REDACTED] with the latent fingerprints previously submitted in this case. [REDACTED] served in [REDACTED] and presently employed at [REDACTED] and residing at [REDACTED]

San Francisco

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REQ 74

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⑦ - Bureau,  
 7 - Sacramento  
 2 - San Francisco  
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Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

EX-106

## LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 9-2296  
 FBI FILE NO. 9-49911 148  
 LATENT CASE NO. A-10042

October 26, 1970

TO: SAC, San Francisco

ROBILAC  
EXAMINATION

REFERENCE: Airtel 10/13/70  
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco SAC  
 SPECIMEN:

This report supplements Latent Fingerprint  
 section report dated 10/25/70.

The latent fingerprints and items from [REDACTED] initially  
 reported as value in this case have been examined and no prints  
 of [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] were found.  
 Comparison of [REDACTED] with the latent prints from [REDACTED]  
 by [REDACTED] with the latent prints from [REDACTED].  
 The prints are contained in our file under [REDACTED]

DeLoach  
 Sullivan  
 Stone  
 Bishop  
 Brownell, A.D.  
 Coffman  
 DeLoach  
 DeMoss  
 Felt  
 Johnson  
 Rader  
 Tamm  
 Wallace  
 Ziegler  
 Tela  
 Holmes  
 Gandy

10/26/70

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Recorded: 10-15-70 3:00 P.M.

Reference No: 9-2296

FBI File No: 9-49911 198

Received: 10-15-70 gls

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

Examination requested by: addressee

Copy to:

RE: -ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 10-13-70

Specimens:

Named Suspect:

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W - M - DOB [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Name in CS 10/10 gcd

Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

Lat fprints + temps per rep[re]lled this  
case not of fprints [REDACTED]

b7c born [REDACTED] in Cambridge, Mass

[REDACTED] no [REDACTED] b7c 10-26-70  
10/27/70 rec'd 10/27/70 age 31 m/fLatent  
Fingerprint  
Section10-2296  
NOV 2 1970

Examination completed

10:30

10/27

Dictated

10/27

Time

Date

Date

D. [Signature]

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Date: 10/29/70

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Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

(Priority)

*[Handwritten]*

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY  
RE : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)  
RE : ZODIAC EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

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ReBulet to San Francisco, 10/26/70.

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*b7c*  
Enclosed herewith for the Bureau is one photocopy and one Xerox copy of card and envelope which envelope is addressed to [REDACTED] "San Francisco Chronicle", 5th and Mission Streets, San Francisco, and postmarked at San Francisco, 10/27/70.

Enclosed for Sacramento is one Xerox copy of same Bureau enclosure.

*b7c*  
On 10/29/70 Inspector [REDACTED] San Francisco Police Dept., advised enclosed envelope and card received by [REDACTED] writer for "San Francisco Chronicle", daily newspaper on 10/28/70. Inspector [REDACTED] advised Mr. [REDACTED] made card and envelope available to SFPD on 10/29/70.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the enclosed specimens with previous specimens submitted in this case.

- 3- BUREAU (9-49911) (Enc. 1) (AM)  
1- SACRAMENTO (9-68) (Enc. 1) (AM)  
2- SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)

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Approved: *[Signature]*  
58 NOV 27 1970 Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 10/29/70

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Via AIRTEL

AIR eAIL

(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
Attention: FBI LABORATORY and FBI IDENTIFICATION  
DIVISION

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

RE : ZODIAC EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

10/11/70 2099

ReBulet to San Francisco, 10/26/70.

Q5A  
Enclosed for the Bureau is one photocopy and two  
Xerox copies of postcard addressed to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Orinda, Ca. postmarked 10:27 at  
Berkeley, California.

b7C  
The above photocopy was furnished to San Francisco  
Office by Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail,  
San Francisco Police Department on 10/28/70. Inspector  
[REDACTED] advised that the card was sent to him by [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] of [REDACTED] Orinda, Calif.

[REDACTED] according to Inspector  
[REDACTED] advised he believes the card may have been sent  
to him by [REDACTED] who now resides  
at [REDACTED] Berkeley, California.  
stated that [REDACTED] is a white male; born: [REDACTED] No  
other pertinent available data re [REDACTED]

(9-49911)  
EXCL  
3- BUREAU (Encs. 3) (AM)  
1- SACRAMENTO (9-63) (AM)  
2- SAN FRANCISCO (9-2295)

CEG/anc  
[REDACTED]

10/29/70 SF  
10/29/70 (2) (10am-4pm)  
FBI - SAC  
10/29/70  
9-49911-QC-111-14  
9-542-Available

REC 25 9-49911-150

ST-115

• OCT 31 1970

9-49911

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M Per: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

SF 9-2296  
CEG/amc

The Identification Division is requested to search  
*b7c* files to determine if fingerprints of [REDACTED] are on file, and if  
located, to compare them with latent fingerprints previously  
submitted in this matter.



1 - Lab file  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

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FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)

November 13, 1970

Date:

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CO., SACRAMENTO

87-115 REC-129

9-14941-150  
D-70402098 LL  
D-70402130 LL  
CH-13550 FG  
CR-1465178

FBI, San Francisco

Airtels 10/29/70

Document - Fingerprint - Cryptanalysis

Enclosures (2) (2 Laboratory reports)

2 - Sacramento (9-88) - Enclosures (2) (2 Laboratory reports)

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FBI, San Francisco  
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SEARCHED [initials]  
INDEXED [initials]  
SERIALIZED [initials]  
FILED [initials]  
NOV 12 1970  
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Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Teletype \_\_\_\_\_  
Cables \_\_\_\_\_  
Radio \_\_\_\_\_  
Telex \_\_\_\_\_  
Balances \_\_\_\_\_  
Candy \_\_\_\_\_

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)  
Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SACRAMENTO

Date: November 12, 1970  
Lab. File: 9-4991R  
Ref. File: D-701102099 LL  
Lab. No.: D-701102130 LL  
CR-13550 JU  
CR-13551 JU

11/2/70

Specimens received

Specimens Qc59 through Qc61 were described in Laboratory report dated 11/5/70.

Result of examination:

Nothing of cryptographic significance was noted in specimens Qc59 through Qc61.

Results of document and fingerprint examinations were furnished separately.

Specimens Qc59 through Qc61 are being retained.

*Qc 59 thru Qc 61  
retained in Lab file  
11/12/70*

FJC:mls mls  
(3)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach, C.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Rufe \_\_\_\_\_  
Rolle \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Mulligan \_\_\_\_\_  
Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

1 - Lab File

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)

Date:

November 5, 1970

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

OO: Sacramento

J. Edgar Hoover  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

REC'D

FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

9-49911-15  
D-701102099 LL  
D-701102130 LL

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Reference:

Airtels 10/29/70

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint - Cryptanalysis

Remarks:

Qc59 through Qc61 are being forwarded to the Cryptanalysis Section of the Laboratory for evaluation. You will be advised of the results of that evaluation in a separate report.

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Sacramento (9-68) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Brennan, C.B. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Watson \_\_\_\_\_  
Boyd \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Conley \_\_\_\_\_

*Hoover (6)*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)  
Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date: November 5, 1970  
Per File No.: 9-49911  
Lab. No.: D-701102099 LL  
D-701102130 LL

Specimens received

11/2/70

- b7c
- Qc59 Photocopy of a post card bearing cut out typewritten address [REDACTED] Orinda, Ca." postmarked "BERKELEY, CA 17 OCT PM 1970" bearing message cut out of newspapers or other publications beginning "Mon, Oct 12, 1970 [REDACTED] The Zodiac is going to..."
- Qc60 Photocopy of envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CA 6B 27 OCT PM 1970" bearing hand printed address [REDACTED] S.F. Chronicle 5th - Mission S.F."
- Qc61 Photocopy of accompanying Halloween greeting card bearing hand printed message beginning "By FiME..."

Result of examination:

Qc59 does not contain any hand printing and a comparison of this specimen with the other questioned specimens containing hand printing was not feasible.

The hand printing on Qc60 and Qc61 is too limited and distorted to definitely associate it with any of the hand printing on threatening letters received previously in this case; however, a few hand printing similarities were noted.

Nothing of particular significance was noted concerning Qc59 through Qc61 which would be of value in identifying the source of these specimens or the other specimens received previously in this matter.

Below \_\_\_\_\_ b7c  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Brennan, G.P. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conner \_\_\_\_\_  
Coyne \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rucci \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Conley \_\_\_\_\_

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Washington, D. C. 20537

**REPORT**

of the

**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION****LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION**

YOUR FILE NO.

7-2296

November 5, 1970

FBI FILE NO.

9-49911

LATENT CASE NO.

A-10042

TO: SAC, San Francisco

**ZONAL  
EXAMINATION**

 AIRTEL 10-22-70  
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED by **San Francisco**

 b7c On basis of information furnished, no  
 identification record located for [REDACTED]

Laboratory report separate.

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REC-56

9-49911-151

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Dobson

Bullman

Nock

Bishop

Brennan G. D.

Callahan

Casper

Conrad

Felt

Gale

Gandy

Gibson

Gordon

Hansen

Kane

2 - Sacramento (9-48) 10-22-70

John Edgar Hoover, Director

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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11-3-70 emj

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LAB FILE

File # 9-49913 151

LC# A-10042

Re:

ZODIAC

EXTORTION

SACRAMENTO

Examination requested by: FBI, San Francisco (9-2296) Airtel 10-29-70

Examination requested:

Document - ~~Plain paper~~

Date received: 11-2-70

Cryptanalysis

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Named Suspect:

W/M, DOB [REDACTED]

Noted By:

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CD called 11/3

On basis of info furnished, no relevant record located for [REDACTED] 11/3 JES

Lab report says

Specimens submitted for examination

Qc59 Photocopy of a post card bearing out out typewritten address [REDACTED]

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only

Orinda, Calif. postmarked "BERKELEY, CA 19 OCT PH 1970" bearing message out out of newspapers or other publications beginning "Mon., Oct. 12, 1970. [REDACTED] The Zodiac is going to..."

2-Sacramento (9-68)

Examination completed 9:45 AM

Time

11/4/70

Date

D dictated 11/4/70

Date

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Date: 11/3/70

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Via AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

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**TO:** DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
 ATTENTION FBI LABORATORY (D-701015062LL)

*SAC*  
**FROM:** SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68)

*SAC*  
**SUBJECT:** ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION

Sgt. [REDACTED] Solano County SO, Vallejo,  
 California, advised one [REDACTED] FBI  
 Number [REDACTED] born [REDACTED] is considered a suspect in  
 this case and he requested that the unidentified latent  
 fingerprints be compared with the fingerprints of [REDACTED]  
 on file in the Identification Division.

*b7c*

*REC'D**9-49911-52**ST-110*

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*b7c*  
**Bureau:** WEC-D-106M/DIA  
 1 - San Francisco (Info)  
 2 - Sacramento P 3 SOLN 1818  
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*Other*

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 Special Agent in Charge

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537



## REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

ST-110

YOUR FILE NO.

9-68

November 19, 1970

FBI FILE NO.

9-49911-152

LATENT CASE NO.

A-10042

REC-2

TO: SAC, Sacramento

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTIONREFERENCE: Airtel 11-3-70  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Sacramento  
SPECIMENS:

Remaining unidentified latent fingerprints  
and latent impressions (fingerprints or palm prints)  
previously reported this case not identical fingerprints  
of [REDACTED] FBI [REDACTED] Palm prints of  
[REDACTED] not contained Identification Division files.

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 Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
 Schilder \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tamm \_\_\_\_\_  
 Holloman \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

1 - Latent Prints (9-2236)

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John E. DeLoach, Director

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Reference No: 9-68

Received: 11/9/70 jdb

FBI File No: 9-49911 152  
Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, Sacramento

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 11/3/70

Specimens:

Named Suspect:

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FBI

Result of examination:

arson called 11/9 32

Examination by: [REDACTED]  
Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]Remaining undent lat prints + lat impressions (prints or prints) per-  
reported this case not of prints of [REDACTED]

b7c 1ps of [REDACTED] not contained Ident Div files

+ San Francisco (9-0296)

Examination completed 1:40 PM

11/12/70

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Date: 11/17/20

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
// (Attn: Identification Division)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (4-2295) (P)

SUBJECT - ADDRESS -  
EXPLANATION -  
00 - Sacramento

Rebulet to San Francisco, 11/22/70

On 11/17/70 Inspector [REDACTED] homicide detail requested that the fingerprints of [REDACTED] (DOB [REDACTED]) served [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] (DOB [REDACTED]) as located in file of Identification and Devision, be compared with latent fingerprints previously submitted in this matter.

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7 - Bureau  
1 - Sacramento (9-68)  
7 - San Francisco  
CIO/dm

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**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

TOUR END NO. 9-2390  
KED-52 PERIOD NO. 9-49911  
LATEST CASE NO. A-10042

November 27, 1970

TO: SAC, San Francisco

**REEDSAC**  
**WATERFALL**

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**On basis of information furnished, no identification record located for [REDACTED]**

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**(Discovery of the first family containing this new functional domain)**

基础教育新课程教材

Tobias  
Eduard  
Walter  
Elisabeth  
Dorothea, C.D.  
Eduard  
Casper  
Cordula  
Eduard  
Gerd  
Rosen  
Terrel  
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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 11/19/70 2:20 p.m.

Reference No: 9-2296

FBI File No: 9-49911 JSB

Received: 11/19/70 SJ

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 11/17/70

Specimens: Named Suspects:

W-M, DOB [REDACTED]

b7c of files

b7c W-M, DOB [REDACTED]

civil

born [REDACTED] in Calif. [REDACTED]

Basic info furnished, no ident record located for [REDACTED]

Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

Names to CS 11/19 JES

Remaining unident lat prints and maps (print or photo) given  
reported this case not d. prints of [REDACTED] photo

b7c of [REDACTED] not contained Ident Div files

2-Sacramento (9-68)

Examination completed

9:30 AM

11/25/70

Dictated

Date

JES  
Done

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 12/8/70  
(Attention: Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section)

FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (9-24552 (RUC))

SUBJECT: ZODIAC EXTORTION  
(OO:SACRAMENTO)

Re San Francisco airtel to CI, 10/29/70.

b7c  
Enclosed for the Bureau is one photostatic copy of the fingerprints of [REDACTED] white male, born [REDACTED] at Dayton, Kentucky.

b7d  
On 12/1/70, [REDACTED] Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation and Identification, London, Ohio, provided the enclosed photostatic copy of the fingerprints of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] advised that his department does not have a set of major case fingerprints for [REDACTED]

SPECIMENS b7c  
DETACHED IN LFB  
It is noted that the sheriff, Butler County, Ohio, has requested that [REDACTED] not be interviewed at this time, inasmuch as he is presently charged with first-degree murder and the sheriff is fearful that an interview at this time might prejudice this case. Therefore, no attempt is being made to obtain major case fingerprints of [REDACTED]

The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to compare enclosed fingerprints of [REDACTED] with latent fingerprints previously submitted in this case.

- b7c  
100 - Bureau (Enc [REDACTED] RM)  
2 - Sacramento (9-68)  
1 - San Francisco (Info) (9-2296)  
1 - Cincinnati

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EX-116 REC-6 9-49911-154  
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly as the Payroll Savings Plan



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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

TOUR FILE NO. 0-3466  
FBI FILE NO. REC-6 0-49011  
LATERENT CASE NO. A-10023

December 21, 1970

TO: **RAG, Chittenden**

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BRUNSWICK CORPORATION  
100 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10006

**REFERENCE EXAMINATION REQUEST**

**What does it mean to have been born into a family?**

MAILED 4  
DEC 21 1970  
COMM-FBI

**Photo courtesy of the National Park Service**

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tracy \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Webster, C. B. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Glasper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Crosscut \_\_\_\_\_  
 Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Odell \_\_\_\_\_  
 Roper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tread \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conley \_\_\_\_\_

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 12-14-70 9:50 a.m.

Reference No:

9-2455

FBI File No:

9-49911

Latent Case No:

A-10042

Received: 12-14-70 JAB

Answer to: SAC, Cincinnati

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Letter, 12/8/70

1. Copy of Fingerprint Card submitted of Suspect:

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Name to add 12/14 JAB

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Result of examination:

Examination by:

Evidence noted by:

Remaining unident lat prints and unpol (fins or pps) now reported  
 b7c this case not of print of [REDACTED] - pps of [REDACTED]  
 not contained Ident Ser files 12/14 JAB

Prints of print of [REDACTED] enclosed  
 2. Sacramento (S-CC)

Enc (1)

Examination completed 9:40AM 12/14/70

Dictated 12/14/70 JAB

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 9. b7c  
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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

## LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-2296

March 9, 1971

FBI FILE NO.

9-49911

LATENT CASE NO.

A-20042

TO: SAC, San Francisco

O  
DOOLAN  
EXAMINATION

REFERENCE: Airtel 2-23-71  
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco  
 SPECIMEN:

The requested latent print examination is being conducted and you will be advised of the results upon completion.

REC-19

EX-104

9-49911-135

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FBI

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Candy \_\_\_\_\_

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John E. DeLoach, Director

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Date: 2/23/71

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**AIRTEL****AIR MAIL**

(Priority)

**TO:** DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
 ATTN: Identification Division

**FROM:** SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)

**SUBJECT:** **ZODIAC**  
**EXTORTION**  
**OO: Sacramento**

Re Bureau letter to San Francisco, 11/27/70.

*b7c* On 2/22/71, Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail, San Francisco Police Department, requested that the fingerprints of the following individuals located in files of the Identification Division, be compared with latent fingerprints previously submitted in this matter:

DOB [REDACTED]

EX-100

REC-55

9-49911-156

FBI  
CALIFORNIA

B-166-20171

FBI-SAC-113-1H103

2 - Bureau  
 1 - Sacramento (Info)  
 2 - San Francisco

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 2-9-71  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M. Per: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge

SF 9-2296  
JGR/rlq

All of the above are white males. It is believed that  
they served in the military.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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of the  
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

EX-100

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE REC'D. # 2296 156  
 FBI FILE NO. 9-49911-  
 LATENT CASE NO. 4-10042

March 12, 1973

TO: SAC, San Francisco

FBI - BOSTON  
LABORATORY

REFERENCE: **Alcatel 2-23-71**  
 FORWARDED TO THE DIRECTOR'S OFFICE, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
 BY TELETYPE.

Latent fingerprint identification unit,  
 Latent Laboratory, IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

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MAR 12 1971
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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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~~ALL, San Francisco~~

March 12, 1971

Palm prints of the aforementioned individuals not contained Identification Division File.

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Fingerprints of [REDACTED] not contained Identification Division File on basis available information.

This report supplements Letter File number  
[REDACTED] dated March 12, 1971.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 2/26/71 4:00 p.m.

jdb Reference No: 9-2296

FBI File No: 9-49911-156

Received: 2/26/71

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: J-B-CRIMSON TO 9-68

RE: ZODIAC.  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 2/23/71

Specimens:

Named Suspects:

3-8 (2) [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] - no record  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] Sacramento Calif  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] flu [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] WPA [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] 33 Ans [REDACTED]

also [REDACTED] Bishop Calif/POA [REDACTED]

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Result of examination: - do palm print any evidence [REDACTED] D.R. [REDACTED]  
Examination by: [REDACTED]  
Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

- 3-1 Same chart no foul
- 3-3 Same of prints [REDACTED] - no foul
- 3-11 Same of prints [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] - do d/b foul - do Palms foul
- do record [REDACTED] foul

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3-12-71  
ML:dh

Examination completed

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3-11-71  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, DATE: 4/1/71  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION, LATENT CASE #A-10042

FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

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On 3/24/71, Sgt [REDACTED] Solano County Sheriff's Office, Fairfield, California, requested that the unidentified latent fingerprints previously developed in this case be compared with the fingerprints of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED]. He was born [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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- ② - Bureau [REDACTED]  
1 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Info)  
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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

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YOUR FILE NO.

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FBI FILE NO.

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LATENT CASE NO.

A-10042

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April 13, 1971

TO: SAC, Sacramento

RE: ~~Zodiac~~  
~~MURKIN~~

REFERENCE: Letter 4/1/71

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY ~~SAC, Sacramento~~  
SPECIMENS

Latent fingerprints previously reported this

does not identify with fingerprints ~~in evidence~~b7c ~~in evidence~~ No palm prints have been

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S - San Francisco (S-3366)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
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Recorded: 4-6-71 9:50 a.m. pjh Reference No: 9-68  
 Received: 4-6-71 FBI File No: 9-49911 157  
 Answer to: SAC, Sacramento Latent Case No: A-10042

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE:

ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Letter, 4-1-71

Specimen(s):

Named Suspect:

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DOB:

SSAN

Result of examination: 4/6-42  
called End Index4/8-42  
FBI, Seattle, per report this case not fit to [redacted] Nipomo, for here for

FBI, San Francisco (9-2296)

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Examination by:  
Evidence noted by:Examination completed 10<sup>00</sup> P.M. 4/8/71 Dictated 4/8/71  
Time DateAPR 12 1971  
FBI - SAN FRANCISCO

FBI

Date: 7/30/71

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~~VISITORS~~ AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

#### **(Priority)**

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) - [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

OO: SACRAMENTO

Re Bureau letter to San Francisco, dated 4/2/71

On 7/29/71, Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide  
Detail, San Francisco Police Department, requested that  
fingerprints of the following individuals located in the  
files of the Identification Division be compared with latent  
fingerprints previously submitted in this matter. These  
individuals are believed to have served in the military  
service and are white males.

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**DATE OF BIRTH**

## CATALOGUE OF BIRDS

**Date OF HIRE**

2 - Bureau  
1 - Sacramento (9-58) (Info)  
2 - San Francisco  
3 - San Jose (7)

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per  
Special Agent in Charge

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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Brennan	CD
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Dauber	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Fender	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Walters	
Mr. Saypol	
Tate Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Candy	

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## REPORT

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## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

EX-109 LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

REG-500-48611

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

A-10042

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August 6, 1971

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: SAC, San Francisco

EXHIBIT  
EXAMINATIONAirtel 7-30-71  
REFERENCE

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY SAC, San Francisco

SPECIMENS

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On basis of information furnished, no discrepancies  
 records located here for [REDACTED] except the other four  
 individuals named in report.

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 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cooper \_\_\_\_\_  
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Recorded: 8-3-71 4:05 p.m. je

Reference No 9-2296

FBI File No. 9-49911

Latest Case No: A-10042

Received: 8-3-71

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addresses

Copy to: L.C.C., Sacramento (9-69)

RE: ZODIAC

EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 7-30-71

Specimens: Named Suspects:

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W/M, DOB [REDACTED]

(No Rec. C.I.)

Result of examination: 8/4/71

Names to C.I.

Examination by [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by:

Basic info. provided as follows: prints found in C.I. for 5 subjects

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Examination completed 2<sup>15</sup> Q.M. 8/4/71 Dictated 8/4/71  
Time Date Date

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## *Memorandum*

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911) DATE: 12/8/71  
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION (LATENT CASE #A-10042)  
*2000*  
FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)  
  
SUBJECT: *ZODIAC* EXORTION

Enclosed herewith to the Bureau and San Francisco, are one Xerox copy each of four letters addressed to SA [REDACTED] Vallejo, California Resident Agency, from

As the Bureau will note, [REDACTED] is developing an obsession with this case. The contents have been discussed with [REDACTED] Vallejo Police Department, and Sergeant [REDACTED] and they have requested that the fingerprints of [REDACTED] be compared with the latent fingerprints previously developed and submitted to the Bureau.

is further described as [REDACTED] born [REDACTED]  
presently residing at [REDACTED]  
California.

It is requested the records of the Identification Division be checked for fingerprints of [REDACTED] both criminal and civil, and that his prints be compared with the latents previously developed.

Results of this examination should be furnished to both San Francisco and Sacramento. 101

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- 3 - Bureau (Enc.-4)  
2 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Enc.-4)  
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LAURENCE FINGERPRINT SECTION  
FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68)

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ENCLOSURE FOR THE PERSONAL INFORMATION

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[REDACTED] VIC [REDACTED]  
November 19, 1971

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FBI  
823 Marin St.  
Vallejo

Dear [REDACTED]

In my present review of the Zodiac case, I turned up a couple more interesting items.

In line with the findings re moon phases that Zodiac apparently uses in timing his murders, I discovered that a full moon started the day before the Riverside City College cabie murder Oct. 30, 1966, in which he has been suspected. This tends to confirm those suspicions.

Also, I noticed that Zodiac's last communication, a postcard claiming a murder in the Tahoe area, went to the SP Chronicle a year to the day after the Modesto area kidnap. Because he has marked his "anniversaries" similarly before, this also tends to confirm his participation in that crime. You wouldn't think he'd consider that an achievement, but he must have got his jollies by burning her station wagon. Or perhaps he did someone else in later that night.

Enclosed is a copy of a ZODIAC tabulation I did on the pertinent moon phases since the SP cabie murder, save for a couple Pisces Moon phases I don't have.

It may be that with several dozen known factors in his six known strikes, including date and time, the time gaps, the moon phases and possibly such details as weapon caliber, a computer could be programmed to come up with probabilities on strikes after Oct. 11, 1969. As I mentioned, it appears he had started a pattern of two Friday strikes, two Saturday strikes, etc. In his astrology, the number two appears highly significant, both because of it being the numerological number assigned to the moon and because the Zodiac symbol for Pisces contains two fish. The other especially significant number for him is nine. He also appears to use the basic number system of numerology which, for example, applied to dates gives you a basic number of two for 12-20-1968, and ZODIAC nine for ZODIAC 7-4-1969.

Cordially,

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Sunday, November 21, 1971

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M.  
FBI  
823 Marin St.  
Vallejo

Dear [REDACTED]

I will stop burying you in a blizzard of letters with  
this one.

But I learned for the first time in the Sacramento  
 Bee today (new Secret Witness program) of some details of four  
 murders of young women there.

I have already mentioned the full moon (Hunters Moon)  
 that started Nov. 13, 1970. A Mrs. Carol Kilburn was murdered  
 Nov. 14.

The article also tells of the kidnap and murder of  
 a nurse, Judith Makari, who was abducted from a parking lot  
 the night of March 7, 1970. A Pisces new moon ~~occurred~~ occurred  
 March 6 and 7 that year. ~~and~~ others was a total eclipse of the  
 sun March 7.

Both of those sound like they could have been  
 Zodiac's work.

With regard to the long gap between the Lake Herman  
 Road and Blue Rock Springs murders. He could, of course, have  
 been out of the country or at sea or something. But it's  
 possible he has had a horoscope done and uses that in connection  
 with moon phases. A reliable astrologer, if there is such an  
 animal, would be helpful on that. I get the feeling, however,  
 that Zodiac may not have gone into astrology very deeply.

When I read about the Stockton strangulation last  
 Thursday I checked the tabulation and found there was a new  
 moon Wednesday. But later I learned it ~~was~~ looked like a rape  
 or sex crime. That isn't Zodiac's MO--but could be false  
 the sex angle, at least to a certain extent?

Best regards,

December 1, 1971

Mr. [REDACTED]  
FBI  
823 Marin St.  
Vallejo

b7c  
Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

Zodiac has not been heard from since March 22. He could have been in the Houston-Galveston area where there have been six unsolved murders of females.

I have dates for only the last four slayings but again they correlate with the moon phase pattern reported previously:

Pisces moon on June 15  
Colette Wilson Vanished June 17

Pisces moon on Oct. 29  
Gloria Gonzalez vanished Oct. 28

New moon on Nov. 17  
Debbie Akerman and Marie Johnson vanished Nov. 15  
(All bodies found later)

It is theoretically possible for Zodiac to have flown back to Oakland or San Francisco after the Nov. 15 double murder, then go to the Tally employment agency in Stockton Nov. 18 and end up strangling her. That would have been extremely tight scheduling—but with Zodiac little is surprising.

With regard to Pisces in astrology, I should have called it a water sign closely related to the moon, as well as to the planet Neptune. The moon association is because of the moon's tidal effects. Numerologically, the moon is number 2 and Neptune is number 9. Pisces is the 12th and last sign of the Zodiac.

And, most important, the most favored times for action in astrology ~~can~~ may extend a few days at a time, according to their "high priests".

If you check the mailing dates of Zodiac messages with the moon phase pattern, you will find that a number of them also correlate.

Sincerely,

b7c  
[REDACTED]

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November 17, 1971

FBI  
823 Marin St.  
Vallejo,  
California

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Dear [REDACTED]

Please excuse this amateur, among countless others, for hornin' in on the Zodiac case. But I believe I have uncovered some dope that may be helpful.

It may appear involved and far out--and it is. Before the Zodiac case broke, I didn't know astrology from asters or numerology from numiscastists. But I couldn't believe that a killer who would take the time and pains to construct his abstract ciphers, based on his cryptographic service experience, would be a random killer. The enclosed information supports that conclusion.

It could prove helpful in several ways:

1. Identifying past murders as Zodiac's by their propinquity with New Moon, Full Moon and Pisces Moon phases.
2. Narrowing his birth date to the Pisces period from Feb. 20 to March 20.
3. perhaps somehow anticipating future strikes, although this likely would be impossible because of the wide range over which he operates. Perhaps officers would be more alert during likely strike periods--just a few a month at most.
4. Identifying ~~XX~~ Zodiac when and if he comes into custody.

I have learned from digesting astrology magazines that so-called favorable times may extend as much as several days. This would permit Zodiac, as he did, to strike a day or so after a New Moon, Full Moon or Pisces Moon.

It may be that the "significant" Moon number of 2, and the Neptune number of 9 have been applied to various things; e.g. the .22 caliber gun at Lake Herman "dad and the 9 mm, at the Rock Springs and at San Francisco. But perhaps my imagination runs away with me. One astrology book said that the "magic" Neptune number of 9 should be associated with the birth date during December.

b7c  
Nov. 17, 1971

TO: Sgt. [REDACTED]

FROM:

RE: Zodiac murders

As the FBI noted, Zodiac might have been triggered by a horoscope magazine. This appears to be the case, based on examination of the magazine Astrology--Your Daily Horoscope (the magazine cut up to paste up the Zodiac message mailed to the Sacramento Bee Dec. 10, 1969. I checked copies for the known murder months. Here's the "trigger":

New Moon on Dec. 19, 1968:

Lake Herman Road murders Dec. 20, 1968 (Friday)

Moon enters Zodiac sign of Pisces July 3, 1969;  
Blue Rock Springs murder July 4, 1969 (Friday)

Full moon in Zodiac sign of Pisces Sept. 25, 1969:  
Lake Berryessa murder Sept. 27, 1969 (Saturday)

New Moon on Oct. 11, 1969 (Saturday);  
Cabbie Paul Stine murder, San Francisco, Oct. 11, 1969.

Subsequent "trigger":

Full Moon on Sunday, Mar ch, 22, 1970:

Zodiac kidnap of woman and baby north of Modesto  
on March 22, 1970.

The moon in the sign of Pisces indicates that's Zodiac's sign--born between Feb. 20 and March 20. He has dropped some false clues to his sign, such as Gemini in his cipher, pasted-up message on Cancer sheet and others. But it appears from actual murder dates that he is Pisces.

Pisces is the 12th and last sign of the Zodiac. This series of murders started during December, 12th and last month of 1968.

The planet of Pisces, according to astrology, is Neptune, which carries the astrological number of 9. The astrology magazines ascribe "Number 9 power" to the murder dates of 12-20-1968 and to 10-11-1969.

Pisces is called a Moon Sign. The moon's astrological and numerological number is 2.

The first two murder strikes occurred on Fridays, the next two on Saturdays. The kidnap occurred on a Monday, suggesting that Zodiac's fifth and sixth strikes were made on Sunday, then two on Monday, etc.

Zodiac's message to the KI Bee was mailed on Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1969, the day following a new moon and total solar eclipse on Dec. 9. A Sacramento murder of a young man who

FEB. 16, 1971

TO: [REDACTED] b7c

FROM:

RE: ZODIAC STRIKE DATES

If ZODIAC continued his MO beyond known strikes and subsequent strikes,  
they should have fallen on or adjacent to the following dates:  
(1968-69)

MONTH	1968	PULL MOONS	1969
Jan.	21-22 (Sat-Sun)	23 (Sun)	9 (Sun)
Feb.		1	*
Mar.	6-7 (Fri-Sat)	7-8 (Sat-Sun)	7 (Sat) 10-11 (Sat-Sun)
April	1-2 (Sat-Thur), 20 (Sun-Mon)	21 (Sat)	5 (Sun)
May	1 (Fri), 27-28 (Sat-Thur)	20 (Mon)	14 (Thur)
June	20-21 (Sun-Tues)	19 (Mon)	3 (Wed)
July	20-21 (Sun-Tues)	18 (Sat)	5 (Fri)
Aug.	17-18 (Sun-Tues)	16 (Sun)	2 (Sun)
Sept.	13-14 (Sun-Mon)	15 (Tues)	30 (Wed)
Oct.	13-14 (Sun-Mon)	14 (Wed)	30 (Fri)
Nov.	7-8 (Sat-Sun)	13 (Fri)	28 (Sat)
Dec.	6-7 (Fri-Sat)	12 (Sat)	26 (Mon)
Jan.	1-2 (Fri-Sat), 26-29 (Thur-Fri)	11 (Mon)	26 (Tues)
Feb.	24-25 (Sat-Thur)	10 (Wed)	25 (Thur)
Mar.	24-25 (Wed-Thur)	21 (Thur)	26 (Fri)
Apr.	20-21 (Tues-Wed)	10 (Sat)	24 (Sat)
May	18-19 (Tues-Wed)	10 (Mon)	24 (Mon)
June	14-15 (Sun-Mon)	8 (Tuesday)	22 (Tuesday)
July	11-12 (Sun-Mon)	8 (Thur)	22 (Thur)
Aug.	7-8 (Sat-Sun)	8 (Fri)	20 (Fri)
Sept.	4-5 (Sat-Sun)	4 (Sat)	19 (Sun)
Oct.	1-2 (Fri-Sat) 24-30 (Fri-Sat)	4 (Sun)	19 (Sunday)
Nov.	29-30 (Tues-Fri)	2 (Monday)	17 (Wednesday)
Dec.	22-23 (Wed-Fri)	2 (Thur), 30 (Fri)	27 (Thur)

\* No date to kidnap

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\* See Rev Letter 12-10-69



1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]  
Room 571a

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Las Vegas (164-80)

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December 7, 1971

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Examination conducted by

#### **REFERENCES**

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an envelope Q4 will be returned with the fingerprints.

Sacramento is referred to Los Angeles teletype to the Bureau, dated 11/20/71, requesting performance of Q1 and Q2 for CII, Sacramento. These performances are as follows:

Triplets \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bolt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wallen, S. S. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Published \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cooper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bailey \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pandice \_\_\_\_\_  
 Scott \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Salinger \_\_\_\_\_  
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Las Vegas (164-68)

Date: December 7, 1971  
FBI File No.

Re: 164-688;  
NORTHWEST AIRLINES FLIGHT 306,  
PORTLAND TO SEATTLE,  
11/24/71  
CAA - MILAGROS; MURKIN

Lab. No.  
D-7112000000 LL  
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Specimens received: 12/4/71 from Las Vegas

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "MANALI, C.I. INDIA NOV 27 PM 1971  
1971" addressed "MISS SISTER [REDACTED] [REDACTED] NOV.  
[REDACTED] 1971" to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] No. Bienville, Pa."
- Q2 Accompanying piece of paper with cutout words forming  
the message "ATTENTION. Thank you Hospitality was  
in a bind in [REDACTED] [REDACTED]"

Specimens received 12/4/71 from Philadelphia

- Q3 Envelope postmarked "U. S. POSTAL SERVICE, NOV 20 NOV  
PM 1971" addressed "MISS [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] No. Bienville, Pa."
- b7c Q4 Accompanying one-page handwritten letter dated  
Nov. 24, 1971, beginning "Dear [REDACTED] our first [REDACTED]  
is [REDACTED] 1971...," and ending "...  
[REDACTED] 20..."

Specimens received 12/6/71 from Sacramento

- Q1 One copy of the final edition of the 11/26/71 issue  
of the Sacramento Bee

Result w/ examination:

Q1 through Q4 were not identified as the  
applicable Letter File. Appropriate number of these  
specimens have been added to this file for future reference.

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LAS Vegas (18)

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No indented writing, watermarks or other features were found on Q1 through Q4 which would be of value in determining the source of these specimens. It is noted that indented impressions of the Q1 address appear on Q2.

The printed cutout words of Q2 were compared with the K1 newspaper. Printing characteristics indicate that the cutout words on Q2, with the exception of the "ity" portion of "Hospitality," came from K1 or an earlier edition of this paper with the same type setup for these words.

Q1 through Q4 were photographed and will be returned separately. K1 is being returned to Sacramento with copies of this report.

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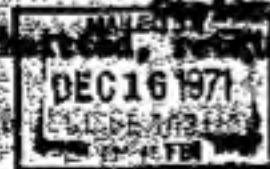
**SAC, Sacramento**

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REFERENCE: Letter 12-8-71  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: **Bacteriology**  
SPECIMEN:

Laboratory fingerprints previously were taken from the gun barrel and the breech block of the gun used in this case, but comparison with fingerprints taken from the hands of the man who was at my place on the night in question, referred to in my previous statement.

~~MAILED~~ **System of four letters, which were also  
selected, revised in English.**



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1 - ~~Revised~~ (64-21B)

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MAIL BOOK

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Received: 12-13-71 11:50 A.M. Zone Reference No: 9-68  
 Received: 12-13-71 FBI File No: 9-49911 169  
 Answer to: SAC, Sacramento Latent Case No: A-10042

Examination requested by: Addressee  
 Copy to: SACRAMENTO (66-21A) - SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)  
 RE: ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Letter 12-8-71  
 Specimens: 4 Kerox copies of 4 letters → ALSO SUBMITTED  
 Named Suspect:

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DOB: [REDACTED]

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Result of examination:

12/13 gpc

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

Name to CI

12/15 2

b7c Let info, your reported this case not a job. and [REDACTED]

Born [REDACTED] Dallas, Texas, (maybe?)

Copies of 4 letters, also submitted, retained in files

ansd.  
12-16-71  
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Examination completed 1<sup>02</sup> P.M. 12/15/71 Dictated 12/15/71  
 Time Date Date

EX-101

December 23, 1971

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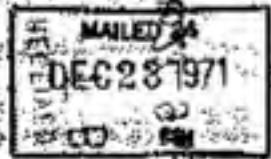
4-49911-160

Mr. ██████████  
██████████, New York 14546

Dear Sir: ██████████

I received your letter on December 20th and the concern which prompted you to write is understandable. With regard to your communication, the matter you mentioned is not within the investigative jurisdiction of the FBI. It is suggested, however, that you may wish to advise the San Francisco, California, Police Department, of any information which pertains to the subject killer.

Sincerely yours,



John Edgar Hoover  
Director

- 1 - Buffalo - Enclosure  
1 - San Francisco - Enclosure

Attention SACs: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent. San Francisco should furnish orally pertinent facts from enclosed communication to appropriate law enforcement officials.

DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Bell \_\_\_\_\_  
Morse \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Miller, E. S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Caldwell, M. \_\_\_\_\_  
Cooper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Dobey \_\_\_\_\_  
Chevalier \_\_\_\_\_  
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Scottsville, N. Y.  
Dec 15, 1971

Mr J. Edgar Hoover, Chief F.B.I. Wash. D. C.  
Dear Sir,

I believe that I have in my possession, evidence which may, with the proper investigation disclose the name and identity of the Zodiac killer of California. I would like to have your cooperation in this matter as I have had absolutely no cooperation from the local enforcement agencies.

I remain your truly

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Scottsville N.Y.

Dec 15, 1971

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AMV Dec 12-23-71  
L.S.E. 12-22-71

JTC  
12-22-71

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*C*  
Memorandum

TO : J. W. Conrad *[Signature]*

FROM : L. W. Conrad *lwc/rad*

DATE: 7-14-72

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Reaves \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Telep \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ziegler \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT: **ZODIAC  
EXTORTION**

9-49911

There is enclosed the file which has been maintained in the Laboratory in connection with the above-captioned matter. It is desired that this file be maintained as an enclosure to the main file in the Records Branch.

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April 12, 1972

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To: FBI

Sanjour Police

Hannibal Police

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From:

Subject:

Comments re Henderiting comparison

of [REDACTED] with Zodiac

packaged form

Just after I incident expressed the material to you  
today, I received another envelope from [REDACTED]  
in which he encloses side-by-side handwriting samples  
b6 of [REDACTED] (taken from marriage advance application)  
and the Zodiac killer (taken from the Zodiac notes).

These are forwarded herewith for your prompt review  
prior to our meeting on Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

cc:

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AIR MAIL - REGISTERED MAIL

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To: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

From: SAC, BUFFALO (9-101-111)

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Reportorial

Supplemental

720911071

Re: [REDACTED] mytel calls to San Francisco, 976-12300/9/7/72.

After further information of the Bureau and reviewing previous information, it was learned that in Buffalo, New York, one RICHARD MICHAEL, JR., 31, had considered his wife, ROSEMARY, his "toyboy" and had sold her son, RICHARD, JR., and immediately thereafter committed suicide using the same weapon. Until approximately two weeks ago, MICHAEL, originally a native of Buffalo, New York, had been residing in the San Francisco area for approximately the past year. He had been separated from his wife and child during the past several months, and the above killings and suicide are believed to have been caused by despondency over the unsuccessful attempt at re-mobilization.

Through further contacts with Lieutenant [REDACTED] Commanding, Homicide Bureau, Buffalo Police Department, it has been determined that investigation by the Police Department to date has developed that the reason for the separation of MICHAEL and his wife in California was because of MICHAEL's insistence upon his participation in group and perverted sex practices. Because of MICHAEL's presence in the San Francisco area, his former destination, and other propensities as set forth above, he should be considered a suspect in the Zodiac Killings.

② - Bureau (Enc. 5) (AM-RM)  
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② - San Francisco (9-101-111) (AM-RM)  
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It is to be further noted that prior investigation in the Zodiac homicides has indicated a possibility that Zodiac had received training, possibly in the military, in the science of cryptology. Present investigation shows that MICHAEL was an electronic technician assigned to U. S. Navy submarine duty and found amongst his effects is a book on cryptographic techniques.

Suspect's description:

Name	<u>RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL (deceased)</u>
Race	<u>White</u>
Sex	<u>Male</u>
DOB	<u>3/4/41</u>
TOD	<u>Buffalo, New York</u>
Height	<u>5'11"</u>
Weight	<u>165 pound</u>
Hair	<u>Brown</u>
Last Known Residence	<u>523 31st Street, Oakland, California (May, 1971)</u>
SSAN	<u>065-32-8897</u>
SGIN	<u>30-89041-1394</u>
USN	<u>237-35-65</u>
Military Service	<u>1/54 to 6/61</u>
Peculiarity	<u>Wears prescription lenses</u>
Scars and Marks	<u>Tattoo on Left forearm anchor with letters "USNM"</u>

Enclosed herewith for information of San Francisco is one copy of MICHAEL's resume found within his personal effects.

Enclosed herewith for the FBI Laboratory are four hand-written pages of known handwriting of above suspect. The Laboratory is requested to compare this handwriting with that appearing on communications from Zodiac. The enclosure should be returned to the Buffalo Office and Buffalo, San Francisco, and Sacramento advised of results.

Enclosed herewith for the Latent Fingerprint Section, Identification Division, is one photostat of fingerprints taken from the body of suspect. It is requested that these fingerprints (or other available prints of suspect available in Identification Division files) be compared with suspect fingerprints of Zodiac. The enclosure may be retained by the Identification Division and Buffalo, Sacramento, and San Francisco Divisions advised of the examination results.

BU-9-1015

LEADS

SACRAMENTO

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

Will conduct appropriate criminal checks regarding suspect MICHAEL in an effort to determine if he has a criminal record within the State of California (an FBI check been completed by the Buffalo Office).

SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

Will, at Oakland and San Francisco, California, make appropriate criminal checks regarding suspect.

BUFFALO

AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK

Will maintain contact with the Homicide Bureau, Buffalo Police Department, for any information of value in this matter.

Ward, W-TM) 200-1 500



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Buffalo (9-1015)

Date: September 28, 1972

ST-114

From: Director, FBI

Re: **SUSPECT**  
**EXAMINATION**  
[REDACTED]  
OOI: **Document**

FBI File No. 9-49911-163  
PC-57 Lab No. 9-72001481-163

Examination requested by

Buffalo

Reference:

Airtel 9/3/72

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

The results of the latent fingerprint examination  
will be furnished separately.

If RAYMOND HOWARD KETCHAM continues to be a possible  
suspect in this matter you may wish to submit samples of his  
known hand printing for comparison with the questioned material.

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SEP 28 1972  
FBI

To: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Block: \_\_\_\_\_

Callahan: \_\_\_\_\_

Campbell: \_\_\_\_\_

Cleveland: \_\_\_\_\_

Conrad: \_\_\_\_\_

Dobay: \_\_\_\_\_

Farmer: \_\_\_\_\_

Hanley: \_\_\_\_\_

Hoffman: \_\_\_\_\_

Kane: \_\_\_\_\_

Landis: \_\_\_\_\_

McGinnis: \_\_\_\_\_

McKee: \_\_\_\_\_

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Enclosures (3) (SAC, 3 Lab report)  
2 - Document (P-45) Enclosures (3) (2 Lab report)  
1 - Document (P-224) Enclosure (Lab report)

Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_

To: [REDACTED] 10/1/72

Mr. [REDACTED]

Mr. [REDACTED]

Mr. [REDACTED]

Mr. [REDACTED]

Mr. [REDACTED]

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Buffalo (9-1015)  
Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

Date: September 29, 1972  
FBI File No. 9-49911  
Lab. No. D-720911051 LL

Specimen received: 9/11/72

K10 Four pages of lined paper bearing known handwriting of RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL.

ALSO SUBMITTED: Photocopy of fingerprint card of RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL.

Result of examination:

The known handwriting of RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL appearing on K10 is not adequate to permit a satisfactory comparison with the questioned hand printing in this case. Nothing of significance was noted, however, in the limited comparison which could be conducted.

K10 was photographed and is returned herewith.  
The "ALSO SUBMITTED" item is retained.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

## Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTIONFile # MM 9-49911 763  
Lab.# D-720911051 LL

OO: Sacramento

Examination requested by: Buffalo (9-1015) airtel 9/8/72

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 9/11/72

Result of Examination: Examination by: Mr. [redacted] *final*

1. NC g.w. thi one → K10, b7c  
K10 h.w. + g.m. h.p.
2. Nothing of significance noted limited comparison which could be conducted.
3. K10 photo. + returned. A.S. retained.

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1. LFB's shown separate

K10

-K59 Four pages of lined paper bearing known MMM handwriting of RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL

*Also submitted: Photocopy of fingerprint card of RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL*

RETURN EVIDENCE

2 - Sacramento (9-58)

MICHAEL

1- San Francisco 9-2296

*Lab Rep'd  
11/15/72  
WJW*

Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bader \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Clegg \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Jenkins \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Marshall \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Nichols \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Pendergast \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Nease \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs. Nease \_\_\_\_\_

FBI

Date: 9/8/72

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~~AIRTEL~~

AIR MAIL - REGISTERED MAIL

(Priority)

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
 FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-66) (HUC)  
 SUBJECT : ZODIAC  
 EXTRITION  
 FBI Sacramento

Re Buffalo airtel to the Acting Director, dated

The following investigation was conducted by

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AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

b7c  
 On 9/21/72, Mr. [REDACTED] California Bureau of  
 Criminal Identification and Investigation (BCII) advised that  
 a search of their files failed to locate any record identifying  
 with the suspect RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL, DOB 8/8/61.

This search included their current files and  
 deceased files.

# ARMED AND DANGEROUS

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 2 - San Francisco  
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Via AIRTEL**AIR MAIL**

(Priority)

Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Baker \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Cleggland \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Jenkins \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Marshall \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Mullin, S.E. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Pender \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Seydel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Walker \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs. Egan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Flecky \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Armstrong \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Harwig \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs. Neenan \_\_\_\_\_

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

b7c

Re Buffalo airtel to the Bureau, dated 9/8/72.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

On 9/12/72, Miss [REDACTED] Identification Bureau, San Francisco Police Department advised that a search of her files failed to disclose a record for RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL, date of birth 8/4/41.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

On 9/27/72, Mrs. [REDACTED] Identification Bureau, Oakland Police Department advised that a search of her files failed to disclose a record for RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL, date of birth 8/4/41.

AT SAN LEANDRO, CALIFORNIA EX-105

On 9/27/72, [REDACTED] Identification Bureau, San Leandro Police Department advised that a search of her

- ② - Bureau
- 2 - Buffalo (9-1015)
- 2 - Sacramento (9-68)
- 2 - San Francisco

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(8) 10/10/1972 DA

Special Agent in Charge

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SP-9-2296  
JGR/pas

files failed to disclose a record for RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL,  
date of birth 8/4/41.

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Washington, D. C. 20587

# REPORT

### **of the**

**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

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#### RACE, Ethnicity

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#### Symptomatology

After briefly reviewing the initial findings, we will discuss the results of our study and compare them with those of other studies.

**Table 1.** Comparison of the composition of the organic matter in the present soil with that of the underlying peat

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J-Patrick Frazee, *America Discovers*

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet  
12:34 p.m. JI

Received 9/29/72

NO LAB FILE

Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTIONFile # ECE 9-4#911-1/64  
Lab.# D-720911961 LL  
LC#A-10042

OO: Sacramento

Examination requested by: Buffalo (9-1615) airtel 9/8/72

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 9/12/72

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Mr. [redacted]

Named suspect:

RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL, DOB: 8/4/41

Noted by: [redacted] b7c

UTL-CRIM CS  
civil

Memo to CSD 9/29 pl

10-5 - Your reports let me compare info on possible FBI Michael  
[not ident.] over reported unidentified latent FPS. This case not a  
FPS Michael. No GPS here for Michael as

submitted prints not (not classifiable)

dicto of RIC in ex parte Laboratory report ECE  
K10468 Four pages of lined paper bearing known XMM handwriting of  
RICHARD HOWARD MICHAEL

Also submitted: Photocopy of fingerprint

Card of RECORDED HANDPRINT  
MICHAEL

RETURN EVIDENCE

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1 San Francisco (9-2296)

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From all the following:

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AIR MAIL

Via

(Priority)

To: [REDACTED] ACTING DIRECTOR FBI (9-49911)  
 Attn: Identification Division  
 From: SAC, SF, SAN FRANCISCO (9-49911)  
 Re: [REDACTED] - [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] - [REDACTED]

Re San Francisco office to Bureau:

As the Bureau and Sacramento are awaiting the results of the investigation by the San Francisco Office and [REDACTED] San Francisco Police Department, since the inception of this inquiry, we have interviewed three suspects and obtained comparative photographs and identification photographs of the [REDACTED] and the fingerprints of the following individuals, who were identified with the latent fingerprints previously submitted to the Laboratory:

1. [REDACTED] - [REDACTED]  
 California State Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation (CBI) No. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Bureau  
 Sacramento (9-65) (info)  
 San Francisco

[REDACTED]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(Attention: FBI, Laboratory,  
Identification Division)

FROM : [REDACTED] DATE: 1/30/73

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (70-8072) (P)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7c  
ALLEGED HOMICIDE ON UNKNOWN  
GOVERNMENT RESERVATION  
CCR 22-  
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

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ZODIAC  
EXTORTION 9-49911 LL  
OO: SACRAMENTO

For the information of the Bureau, on 11/30/72, CID Investigator [REDACTED] Presidio of San Francisco, California, had received information from a source at the Sierra Army Depot that captioned Subject [REDACTED] had discussed the murder of an unknown Negro female with the source.

Interviews to date have been negative, however, in reviewing Subject [REDACTED] photograph with artist's conception of Unsub murderer, it was determined that there is some similarity between [REDACTED] photograph and the artist's conception of Zodiac.

The following is background information on OO:

Name [REDACTED]  
Date of birth [REDACTED]  
SSAN [REDACTED]  
Height [REDACTED]  
Weight [REDACTED]  
Eyes [REDACTED] b7c  
Hair [REDACTED]  
Scars [REDACTED]  
Fingerprints [REDACTED]

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Fingerprinted by [REDACTED]

② - Bureau  
3 - San Francisco  
(1 - 9-2296)  
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SP 70-8072

JJR:dds

b7c It is requested that the laboratory compare unidentified latents of Zodiac with known fingerprints of [REDACTED] Also compare known signature of [REDACTED] on fingerprint cards with alleged handwriting of Zodiac.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Washington, D.C. 20537

REPORT  
of the  
**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**  
**LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION**

YOUR FILE NO. 9-2296  
FBI FILE NO. 9-49911  
LATENT CASE NO. 4-10042

February 12, 1972

TO: **BAC, San Francisco**

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SUPERIOR, ALTA 1/31/73  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: *John Francisco*  
SPECIMENS

Unidentified latent prints were found reported in this case no additional evidence of these prints or prints of the victim.

MAILED 12  
FEB 12 1977

East \_\_\_\_\_  
Berger \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Cathleen \_\_\_\_\_  
Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Daleby \_\_\_\_\_  
Deborah \_\_\_\_\_  
Hilary \_\_\_\_\_  
Macmillan \_\_\_\_\_  
Silverman \_\_\_\_\_  
Dwight \_\_\_\_\_  
Sylvia \_\_\_\_\_  
Walker \_\_\_\_\_  
Tate \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. R. Kirby \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Armstrong \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Beving \_\_\_\_\_

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 2/5/73 10:35 am jaf

Reference No: 9-2296

Received: 2/5/73

FBI File No: 9-49911

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel, 1/31/73

Specimens: Named Suspects:

[REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] California State

Bureau CII # [REDACTED]

FBI # [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] single try  
in Oregon, Ventura, Calif PD [REDACTED]

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Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

Names to Cd + Assam called 2/5 900 b7c

Unident lat prints this case not &amp; prints or prints of [REDACTED]

Unidentified lat prints and unpn<sup>ctg</sup> prints of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

but no prints affected - anyone aware prints of these individuals needed for comp with lat prints [REDACTED] b7c

(prints or prints) and with prior reported lat prints [REDACTED] agw

Sacramento (9-68)

Examination completed 10:40 AM 2/5/73 Time

Dictated

2/5/73 9AM Date

Date

9-49911-161

September 10, 1973

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EX-112 Mr. [REDACTED]

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WICHITA, KANSAS 67245-90

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

b7c 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

(ATTN: M)

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

Don't Mr. [REDACTED]

This is to acknowledge your letter dated July 7, 1973 requesting cryptanalytic assistance in connection with the "Zodiac" case.

It was noted in your letter that you have also informed the local authorities of your cryptanalytic findings of the "Zodiac" stinkers.

Since your communication does not relate to any matter coming within the investigative jurisdiction of the FBI, our technical personnel cannot serve this as the subject of your decipher. However, the FBI Laboratory can provide cryptanalytic assistance upon specific request from the duly constituted state, county or municipal law enforcement agency in connection with their official investigation in this criminal matter should the appropriate agency make such a request.

I hope you will understand our position in this regard.



Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

BPR:miss

(5) 1105

8 SEP 1973

SEE NOTE PAGE TWO

Comp. Serv.

Comm. & Cen. Cen.

Research

Prints CR

Telephone Rec.

Director Rec.

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I Me [REDACTED]

NOTE:

No record Bufiles re [REDACTED] Coordinated with

b7c SA [REDACTED]

Liaison, [REDACTED]

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b7c We have already provided cryptanalytic assistance  
to local authorities through our field offices in this much-  
publicized case (Bufile 9-4991). [REDACTED] has not provided any  
b7c significant new data or information which can be cryptanalytically  
exploited.

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## REPORT

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LABORATORY

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

(Room 7425)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**  
**NEW YORK STATE POLICE**  
**ALBANY, NEW YORK 12224**

August 14, 1973

REGISTERED

Subject: **[REDACTED]**

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This examination has been made with the following results:

1. No physical evidence was found in the laboratory which would indicate the presence of any controlled substance.

2. **[REDACTED]**  
3. **[REDACTED]**  
4. **[REDACTED]**

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Specimen received by [REDACTED]

Received from [REDACTED] on [REDACTED]

Specimen received from [REDACTED]

Received from [REDACTED] on [REDACTED]

Specimen sent to FBI, Albany!

It is requested that this case be referred to the New York office of the Bureau and that the Commissioner be advised that a copy of this report be retained at the Bureau.

ALBANY, NEW YORK, AUGUST 14, 1973  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

ALBANY FIELD OFFICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

147-38002-973

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**RESULT OF EXAMINATION:**

The following is the decryption of the enciphered material at the bottom of specimen Q1:

[REDACTED] AIR FORCE MEDICAL CENTER  
[REDACTED] 170

This will verify the information provided and should fully  
be read by the examining physician. It is the responsibility  
of the examining physician to make his own interpretation  
of the results and to furnish a report to the examining physician.

Document examination and classification of specimen Q1  
and Q2 handled separately.

SEARCHED [REDACTED]

SERIALIZED [REDACTED]

REPORT  
of the**FBI**

LABORATORY

1 - Mr.  
2 - Mrs.  
3 - [REDACTED] 5714FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535BENJAMIN STONE  
New York State Police  
ALBANY, New York 12220

August 7, 1973

ATTACHMENT: Mr. [REDACTED]

b7c

The examination has been completed concerning the evidence submitted by the Albany office of the New York State Police. A report will be furnished to you at your earliest convenience.

C. S. [Signature]

Albany office  
New York State Police  
ALBANY, N.Y. 12220

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1. Examination of sample of black ink recovered from the black ink bottle found in the black leather briefcase, and found to be black.

2. Comparison of photographs of black ink bottle recovered from the black leather briefcase and black ink bottle found in the black leather briefcase.

No difference found.

3. Comparison of black ink recovered from the black leather briefcase and black ink recovered from the black ink bottle found in the black leather briefcase.

3 - FBI Laboratory (4-54) Reference (44-14000-14-400-943)  
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It was not determined whether Qcl and Qc2 were prepared by the writer of the letters in the case "ZODIAC; EXORTION," because of a lack of significant characteristics in the hand-printing on Qcl and Qc2. The possibility, however, that the writer of the letters in the ZODIAC case prepared Qcl and Qc2 could not be eliminated.

The results of the Cryptanalysis examination of the coded message on Qc2 will be furnished separately. The submitted evidence is retained.

For your information, the investigation by this Bureau of the extortion aspect of the ZODIAC case is being conducted by the FBI, Sacramento. That office is being requested to advise the local authorities who have interest in the murders attributed to the ZODIAC of the contents of Qcl and Qc2.

NOTE: Enclosed for Sacramento and other offices throughout the country. Sacramento is requested to insure that local authorities who have interest in the ~~ZODIAC~~ message and the contents of Qcl and Qc2. After the investigation is completed, Sacramento should make available latent prints developed on the originals of Qcl and Qc2 for comparison with the latent fingerprints developed in the ZODIAC case.

STATE OF NEW YORK



W.S. [initials] (2) NEW YORK STATE POLICE  
STATE CAPITOL  
ALBANY, N.Y. 12220

b7c CND  
SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY  
August 3, 1973

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Honorable Clarence M. Kelly, Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Enclosed is a copy of an anonymous letter received by a local newspaper. Please process through your Anonymous and Threatening Letter file and also your Cryptography Section.

Request you please expedite this matter and advise promptly of analysis.

Sincerely,

b7c [REDACTED]  
Handwriting Expert

DRH:dmnt  
Enclosure

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Washington, D.C. 20587

## REPORT

### of the

**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 75-3972  
FBI FILE NO. 75-36293  
LATENT CASE NO. 4-57812

March 9, 1973

TO: **AMC, USA, Headquarters**

REFERENCE: Logan 1-38-72  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY John W. Gandy  
OF SPECIMEN(S).

Topographical Survey of the State of Lower  
California, Vol. I, Part 1, 1882-1883.

**ANSWER:** No false positive identification criterion exists.

**ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED (U-68)**  
**DATE 9-4-2004 BY SP5 JMW/MS (S-42246)**  
FBI - BIRMINGHAM 9-49911

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L. Patrick Clegg, III, Acting Director

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Francisco (70-8078)

Date: March 1, 1973

From: Director, FBI

Re:

[REDACTED] MAIL ROOM  
[REDACTED] SAN FRANCISCO

FBI File No. 70-8078

12-730246103-12

CC: San Francisco

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Reference:

Letter dated January 30, 1973

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprints

Remarks:

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Envelope (9-88) Enclosure (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - San Francisco (9-2246) Enclosure (Lab report)

1 - Bufile (9-19911)

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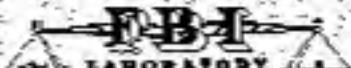
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 Walker \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room: 54 MAR 14 1973  
 Mr. Kinney \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Armstrong \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Herwig \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs. Hamm - MAIL ROOM  TELETYPE UNIT

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

SAC, San Francisco (70-5072)

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[REDACTED]  
ALLIED INDUSTRIES ON TURKEY  
GOVERNMENT RESERVATION; OSA

Date:  
FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

March 1, 1973  
70-5072-3  
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Report  
Date:

February 8, 1973

Handwriting examination of known handwriting and fingerprints of  
[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with questioned handwriting and fingerprints  
of [REDACTED] in the same ruling medium.

Results of examination:

Fingerprint card received from [REDACTED] dated January 10,  
1973, containing two prints taken with the right hand  
printing in the same ruling medium.

In view of the fact that [REDACTED] is a suspect in the MEDLAC case,  
it is recommended that an attorney be made to obtain known printing  
samples in the writing of the questioned material from him.

The results of the requested fingerprint examination  
will be furnished separately.

JMB:jta

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)

DATE: 11/1/73

*RJL* RE: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-58) (C)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

*WES* Re Bureau letters to New York State Police,  
Albany, New York, 8/8/73, and 8/10/73.

It is noted copies of referenced letters with photocopy of envelope postmarked "ALBANY, NY LA PM1 AUG 1973" bearing hand printed address "THE TIMES UNION, ALBANY, NEW YORK 12201" and accompanying hand printed letter beginning "You were wrong I am..." were furnished to the Sacramento Division.

On 8/16/73, copies of referenced letters and enclosures received with referenced letters were furnished to the Vallejo, California PD and the Solano County SO since both of these agencies have an interest in the Zodiac case. On 8/17/73, by separate communication, copies of the above were sent to the San Francisco Office so they could be furnished to the San Francisco, California PD and the Napa County, California SO, since both of those agencies also have an interest in the Zodiac case. On 8/21/73, copies of the above were furnished to the California Bureau of Investigation inasmuch as that State agency is also interested in the Zodiac case.

Since information received by the Sacramento Division has been furnished to all interested agencies, no further investigation is being conducted.

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Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Dep. A.D.-Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comm. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
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Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Local Coop. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Directing Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

MR 018 SF PLAINTEXT

11:18PM NITEL I-31-74 GJC

To: DIRECTOR

SACRAMENTO

PROM: SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) 3 PAGES

ZODIAC, EXTORTION, OO: SACRAMENTO.

ON THIS DATE, INSPECTOR ██████████ HOMICIDE  
DETAIL, SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT, ADVISED THAT ON  
JANUARY 30, 1974, THE "SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE" NEWSPAPER  
RECEIVED ANOTHER LETTER FROM ZODIAC. ██████████ ADVISED  
THAT AFTER CONFERRING WITH A HANDWRITING EXPERT, IT WAS  
CONFIRMED THAT THE NOTE WAS IN FACT FROM ZODIAC FROM  
COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS LETTERS. THE TEXT OF THE LETTER  
IS AS FOLLOWS:

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(MISSPELLED WORDS IN ABOVE QUOTED LETTER APPEAR AS IN THE LETTER.)

b7c INSPECTOR ██████████ HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO THE ZODIAC CASE SINCE ITS INCEPTION WHICH BEGAN IN NORTHERN CALIFORNIA ON DECEMBER 20, 1968. IT WAS NOT UNTIL 1969 WHEN ZODIAC BEGAN BOASTING OF HIS KILLINGS IN LETTERS TO THE "SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE". TO DATE, THERE HAVE BEEN SIX VICTIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO ZODIAC BY THE POLICE AUTHORITIES. FIVE OF THE KNOWN VICTIMS WERE KILLED IN VARIOUS AREAS OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA IN A TEN MONTH PERIOD THAT BEGAN IN DECEMBER, 1968. THE SIXTH VICTIM KNOWN TO BE ZODIAC'S WAS A CO-ED WHO WAS MURDERED IN RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA, IN 1966. ZODIAC ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE HAD INDEED BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RIVERSIDE SLAYING IN A LETTER MAILED MARCH 15, 1971, FROM PLEASANTON, CALIFORNIA. THE LATEST NOTE RECEIVED BY THE "SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE" WAS WRITTEN WITH A BLUE FELT TIP PEN. IT WAS ON A WHITE SHEET OF PAPER AND TUCKED INTO AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED SIMPLY "SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE PLEASE RUSH TO EDITOR". FROM THE POSTMARK  
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AND THE ZIP CODE NUMBERS IT WAS DETERMINED THAT THE LETTER  
WAS MAILED TUESDAY FROM SOMEWHERE IN EITHER SAN MATEO COUNTY  
OR SANTA CLARA COUNTY. INSPECTOR ██████████ ADVISED THAT  
COPIES OF THE LATEST MATERIAL RECEIVED FROM ZODIAC WILL  
BE FURNISHED TO THE SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE. THIS MATERIAL WILL BE  
SUBMITTED TO THE FBI LABORATORY UNDER SEPARATE COVER.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

END

WA HOLD

CC: Laboratory

Mr. ██████████

FBI

Date 2/6/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

740-18084

Re San Francisco airtel to the Bureau and Sacramento  
dated 1/31/74.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are two copies  
each for the FBI Laboratory and one copy each for Sacramento  
of the four following listed items:

1. Photocopy of letter beginning "I saw & think  
the Exorcist..." and ending with "SFPO - 0".
2. Photocopy of bottom portion of letter containing  
palm print.
3. Photocopy of letter addressed to "San Fran  
Chronicle".
4. Photocopy of dusted envelope containing fingerprints.

The above-listed items were furnished to the  
San Francisco Division by Inspector [REDACTED]  
Homicide Detail, San Francisco Police Department (SFPD). The  
original of the above-listed items of evidence in the ZODIAC

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Bureau (Enc. 3) (RM)  
2 - Sacramento (Enc. 4) (RM)  
3 - San Francisco  
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Approved: *[Signature]* Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
2-1 FEB 28 1974 Agent in Charge

SF 9-2296

JGR:lnK

case were processed by SFPD experts and are being maintained by that Department.

These photocopies are being furnished to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with previous exhibits submitted in captioned case. For the information of the FBI Laboratory Inspector [REDACTED] advised that SFPD experts have confirmed that this latest note is in fact from the ZODIAC based on comparison with previous letters.

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F-837 Enclosure to Bureau  
to 80 Francisco Report  
letter dated 2/6/74  
decon 2/24/74

photos described on pg. 1 of let.

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Mr. [REDACTED]



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Francisco (9-2296)

Date: February 15, 1974

From: Director, FBI

Re: **ZORBLAC**  
**EXTRADITION**  
**001 EVIDENCE**

FBI File No.

5-49911

Lab. No.

D-740908094 LL

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Airtel dated February 8, 1974

Examination requested: Document - Cryptanalysis

Remarks:

The results of the cryptanalysis examination  
will be furnished separately.

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535To: SAC, San Francisco (8-2296)  
Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTIONDate: February 15, 1974  
FBI File No. 9-49211  
Lab. No. D-740208034 LL

Specimens received February 8, 1974

(Q62) Photograph of envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE  
12 840 AM PST JAN" showing the hand printed message "Dear Friend  
Chronicle Please Rush To Edition"

(Q63) Accompanying hand printed letter beginning "I saw &  
think...."

## Scope of examination:

It has previously been noted that certain of the threatening letters in this matter were not written by freshly learned writers and portions of the questioned material showed distortion. Additionally, most of the specimens submitted to the laboratory have been sent in pieces of paper and sufficiently clean to reveal the true handwriting. For these reasons, no compilation was compiled concerning the number of persons preparing the threatening letters. As this writer could not be made, however, hand printing characteristics indicate that all of the threatening letters (including Qn62 and Qn63) were probably prepared by one person.

The submitted evidence is retained.

LMS: JTM  
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FBI

Date: 2/28/74

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*[Handwritten signatures and initials over the list]*

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

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AIRMAIL

(Priority) *b7c*TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)FROM: SAC, SAN-FRANCISCO (9-2296) - (P)  
SUBJECT: ZODEAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SACRAMENTO

Re San Francisco airtel to Sacramento, 2/26/74

Enclosed for the Bureau is one photo copy and one xerox copy of letter and envelope received 2/26/74 from Inspector [REDACTED] Homeocide Detail, San Francisco Police Department.

Enclosed for Sacramento is one xerox copy of same letter.

For the information of the Bureau on 2/20/74, Inspector [REDACTED] advised that on 2/14/74 the enclosed letter was received by the San Francisco Chronicle and reporter for the San Francisco Chronicle [REDACTED] gave the letter to [REDACTED] as a possible zodiac letter. Thereafter turned the letter over to [REDACTED] questioned document examiner, United States Post Office, San Francisco. Mr. [REDACTED] has advised [REDACTED] that the letter is a zodiac letter.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the enclosed letter with previous submissions in this matter in an effort to determine if the enclosed letter is prepared by the same person.

**ENCLOSURE 2**  
 1 - Bureau (Enc. 2)  
 2 - Sacramento (Enc. 4)  
 2 - San Francisco  
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 (6) *[Handwritten signature]*

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EX-110

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M Per: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

4/24/72

To [REDACTED]

From [REDACTED]

Boston FBI

I talked to [REDACTED] at the Newark FBI office today and he explained that you would not be sitting in at our 4:30 conference in Boston.

(Continued)

However, I am enclosing the latest materials from [REDACTED] re the Zodiac [REDACTED] scenario since you have a complete set of previously received data, and you indicated that the FBI would be willing to forward the material to Washington to an FBI center where the [REDACTED] binary theory, handwriting etc. could be checked out by some experts.

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I truly would appreciate your doing this, as one part of ~~establishing~~ this conclusion as a plausible, or non-plausible, theory.

I will be endeavoring to:

- (a) Have our New York City office investigate [REDACTED] background and whereabouts during the time of the Zodiac Killings & letter
- (b) Have Harvard Police continue to check airline manifests to see if [REDACTED] can be placed on a [REDACTED] flight from Newark to Logan Clic (he could have used an alias)
- (c) Develop an appropriate contact person [REDACTED] would present to a Police interview

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TO EVERYONE



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Federal Bureau of Investigation  
44-7 [REDACTED]

JPLC Federal Office Building

Boston, Mass. 02203

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## PRIORITY:

- Immediate  
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- TOP SECRET  
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Date 7/14/81

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9A-2296) (SQ.10) *10723055-G-PK*

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka

[REDACTED] Victim  
Possible Extortion  
OO: San Francisco

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 5/29/81; Bureau  
Lab examination Report to San Francisco, 6/26/81.

Enclosed for the Bureau are four letters with [REDACTED]  
analysis of an article from the pen of [REDACTED]  
also enclosed. Each letter, addressed to [REDACTED]  
Supervisor, San Francisco Division with [REDACTED] analysis are  
dated as follows: 1 - letter with [REDACTED] analysis of [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] article, dated [REDACTED] 1 - letter with [REDACTED] analysis  
of calendar regarding Zodiac murders, dated 6/24/81. 1 - letter  
with [REDACTED] analysis related to Zodiac's telephone number, i.e.  
telephone number of [REDACTED] dated 6/30/81. 1 - letter  
with analysis entitled [REDACTED], dated [REDACTED]

In connection with previously submitted documents,  
i.e., [REDACTED] as an enclosure with referenced  
communication dated [REDACTED] authored by captioned individual,  
enclosed herein is [REDACTED] detailed analysis to support  
his previously exposé of his theories.

- 1 - Bureau (Enc. 4)  
2 - Boston (9B-3930) (Info)  
2 - San Francisco  
PLS:kes  
(6)

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Trasmitted \_\_\_\_\_  
Number) (Time) Per \_\_\_\_\_

SF 9A-2296

RLS:kes

This analysis was requested by Supervisor [REDACTED] and interviewing Agents on 5/22/81 when [REDACTED] was interviewed regarding [REDACTED] complaint of harassment, in the Boston Office, from receipt of [REDACTED] and various articles sent to him by [REDACTED] via the U.S. mails.

Copies of these enclosures are being furnished to Inspector [REDACTED] San Francisco Police Department (SFPD), who is assigned to the Zodiac killings investigation within their department. Inspector [REDACTED] was previously furnished materials received by [REDACTED] as sent to him by [REDACTED]

San Francisco is unable to assimilate the validity of the enclosed documents, along with the previously submitted materials, purported to be a "solution" to the identity of the Zodiac killer as theorized by [REDACTED]. Due to the complexity of the codes of [REDACTED] analysis, this material is being forwarded to the FBI Laboratory Document Section for review. It is suggested that referenced airtel and Lab report (referenced above), be reviewed prior to examination of the enclosed materials.

The Bureau is to note that on 7/8/81, [REDACTED] was generally advised that the FBI Laboratory was not convinced that he had reached a "solution" of the Zodiac codes in his analysis. It is further noted that in the enclosed communication, entitled, [REDACTED] attached an additional page in which he asked if he should send a copy of it to [REDACTED] was again warned that he could incur both criminal and civil liabilities by continuing to send materials to [REDACTED] stated that he had in fact sent one more card to [REDACTED]. He stated he wanted to be totally "up front" with the FBI and he would never again send any material to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was also advised that the enclosed materials concerning Zodiac codes would be furnished to the FBI Laboratory for analysis and that he would be advised as to the findings of the Laboratory.

SF 9A-2296

RLS:kes

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The FBI Laboratory is requested to examine the enclosed documents and those previously provided to determine if there is any validity to [REDACTED] claimed "solution" of Zodiac killer's codes.

LEADS

a

BOSTON DIVISION

b7c  
AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTES. Should [REDACTED] receive the card sent to him recently by [REDACTED] and he complains to your office, advise that [REDACTED] has been admonished and [REDACTED] assured the San Francisco Division he would cease and desist any further communiques to [REDACTED]

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**AIRTEL**

Via

**AIR MAIL**

(Priority)

TO:

**ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49914)**  
(Attn: Identification Division)

FROM:

**SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)(P)**

SUBJECT:

**ZODIAC****MURDER****MURKIN, GUY FREDERICK**

Rebulet dated 5/6/71.

On 7/19/72, Inspector [REDACTED] Jomicide  
 Detail, San Francisco Police Department, requested that  
 fingerprints of the following individuals located in the files  
 of the Identification Division be compared with latent fingerprints  
 previously submitted in this matter.

D.O.B.

Sacramento Police Department [REDACTED]

D.O.B.

Albuquerque, New Mexico

G-49914-12

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- 2 - Bureau  
 1 - Sacramento (9-68) (Info) 160-1174-114  
 1 - San Francisco  
 NGR: LBN  
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Approved:

Supt:

M. Per

Special Agent in Charge

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537



## REPORT

9/18

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-2286

FBI FILE NO.

REC'D IN 9-48911

LATENT CASE NO.

A-10042

EX-117

162

July 30, 1972

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: **SODIAC**  
**EXTORTION**REFERENCE: **AB61 7/18/72**  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: **SAC, San Francisco**  
SPECIMENS:

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Latent fingerprints previously submitted in  
 this case not identical with sample sent by [redacted]  
 San Jose Police Dept. Lab.

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Daly \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kelly \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Seiden \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Campbell \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Classified \_\_\_\_\_  
 Coffey \_\_\_\_\_  
 Coffey \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marshall \_\_\_\_\_  
 Miller, B.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mueller \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sayres \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Kidder \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Amerson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Morris \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mrs. Morris \_\_\_\_\_

S - **SEARCHED (S-66)**LAWRENCE  
(S)

L. Patrick Gray, III, Acting Director

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 7/24/72 9:55 a.m. jaf Reference No: 9-2296  
 Received: 7/24/72 FBI File No: 9-49911-162  
 Latent Case No: A-10042  
 Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: 2 C.I. Sacramento (9-62)

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel, 7/19/72

Specimens: Names submitted for Comparison Purposes of:  
Mr. R. C. L. [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] Sacramento PD # [REDACTED]

b7c [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Result of examination: 7/24/72

Names to C.I.

7/27/72

Mr. R. C. I. (2 filio) for [REDACTED]

Int. photo from subject this case not to photo of [REDACTED]. No palm prints.  
b7c [REDACTED]Examination by: [REDACTED]  
Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]Examination completed 1:30 P.M. 7/27/72 Dictated 7/27/72  
Time Date Date7/27/72  
J.W.C.  
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FBI

Date: 2/6/74

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Via \_\_\_\_\_

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**TO:** DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
**(ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LFS,**  
**LATENT CASE NUMBER 10042)**

SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)

**SUBJECT:** ZODIAC  
 EXTRICATION

**OO:** Sacramento

For information of the Los Angeles Office,  
 commencing in August, 1969, an individual who has written  
 several letters to newspapers in Northern California,  
 some of which contain cryptographic messages, and who signs  
 himself "ZODIAC", has been suspect in at least six unsolved  
 murders in California. Because of some of the details  
 contained in his letters, pertaining to the murders and  
 details not known to the general public, the police  
 agencies which investigated the cases have come to the  
 definite conclusion that the "ZODIAC" is responsible  
 for the murders for which the "ZODIAC" has taken credit. It is  
 as follows:

DATE	PLACE	NO. OF VICTIMS
10/30/66	Riverside, California	3
12/20/68	Vallejo, California	3
7/4/69	Vallejo, California	1
2 - Bureau		
2 - Los Angeles		
1 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Info)		
2 - Sacramento		
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_

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Special Agent in Charge

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>NUMBER OF VICTIMS</u>
9/27/69	Lake Berryessa (Napa County, California)	1
10/11/69	San Francisco, California	1

Although the "ZODIAC" has been blamed for murders throughout Northern California, the actual killings occurred in the Sacramento and San Francisco Divisions. The Sacramento and San Francisco Divisions have, since 1969, on a selective basis, requested examinations by the FBI Laboratory and FBI Identification Division, pursuant to requests from the Vallejo, California Police Department (VPD); Solano County, California Sheriff's Office (SO); San Francisco PD; and Napa County, California SO. All of these police agencies have had jurisdiction in murders committed by the "ZODIAC" in their areas.

As a result, the FBI Laboratory has on file several samples of handwriting and printing prepared by the "ZODIAC", which samples were furnished by the above police agencies.

The FBI Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, has on file some latent prints developed from questioned documents and other sources, and made available by the above police agencies. Some or all of these latent prints may belong to the "ZODIAC".

For a period of approximately three years, no correspondence had been received from the "ZODIAC", however, on 1/29/74, a letter was received by a San Francisco newspaper, believed to have been prepared by the "ZODIAC". The San Francisco office is in the process of obtaining a copy of this letter and any latent fingerprints developed on it for submission to the FBI Laboratory and Identification Division.

SC 9-68

A review of the Sacramento file in this matter discloses that no questioned writing or latent prints which may have been developed in the Riverside, California, murder have ever been submitted to the FBI Laboratory or Identification Division.

HEADS:

The FBI Identification Division, Latent Finger-  
print Section, is requested to advise how many latent  
prints believed to be of the "ZODIAC" are available and  
if there is any possibility of classifying these latent  
prints to the extent of permitting a search through  
FBI Fingerprint files in an effort to identify the  
"ZODIAC".

LOS ANGELES:

AT RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA:

Will, from the local authorities who investigated  
the murder believed committed by the "ZODIAC",  
obtain copies of any handwriting or handprinting  
attributable to him, and photographs of any latent  
prints which may have been developed in that case, and  
submit these to the FBI Laboratory and Identification  
Division for appropriate examination and comparison  
with previously submitted samples.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

## LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

ST-106 9468

PEI FILE NO.

REC 45-949921 - 176

LATENT CASE NO.

A-10048

February 21, 1974

TO: FBI, Sacramento

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY SACRAMENTO

SPECIMENS

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SAC, Sacramento

February 12, 1974

a composite set of prints that could be classified and stored in the main fingerprint file.

Comparable areas of unidentified latent prints previously reported on items from different crime sources, as well as latent prints on different envelopes and surfaces, were compared with each other, but no identification effected.

LSP 4-10042

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Date: 2/14/74

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Via:

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)

COMM-FBI  
EXHUMATION  
Off: Sacramento

ACR 14164 IC

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Re San Francisco airtel to the Bureau, 2/6/74.

Copies of the documents received by the Sacramento Office as enclosures to referenced airtel have been furnished to the Vallejo Police Department and the Solano County Sheriff's Office, Vallejo, California, both of which agencies have an investigative interest in this matter.

The above agencies are desirous of knowing the meaning of the symbols at the bottom of this letter, which could possibly be some form of Oriental writing, if it is possible to ascertain same.

The FBI Laboratory or Bureau Languages Section is requested to examine the symbols referred to in an effort to establish their meaning. If successful, please advise the San Francisco and Sacramento Offices.

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F - San Francisco (9-2296) /Info

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Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

1 - Mr [REDACTED]  
1 - Mr [REDACTED]  
(Room 7625)

To: SAC, San Francisco (9-2296)

Date: March 1, 1974

From: Director, FBI

REC #

R: **EDMUND**

FILE NO. 9-49911 — 177

**EXAMINATION**

EXAMINER: CRIMINAL IC

D-140000094 LM

Examination requested by: **SAC, San Francisco**

Reference: San Francisco airtel 2/8/74 and Sacramento airtel 2/14/74.

Examination requested: **Declassified-Cryptanalysis**

Examiner:

Result of examination annexation and disposition of specimens  
indicated separately.



Enclosures (2) (3 Laboratory reports)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Francisco (9-2296)  
Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date: March 1, 1974  
FBI File No. D-48811-177  
Lab. No. CR-14164 IC  
D-740208094 LL

Specimen Received 2/8/74

Ques 1: The sample of extortion note from the U.S. AIR FORCE SERVICE  
CA BLDG AM 21 JAN showing blue printed address "San Fran.  
Christopher Francis Burke 1075 Folsom"

Ques 2: An accompanying hand printed letter beginning "I saw a thing..."

Overall examination:

No differentiation as to the source of the marks at the bottom  
of the note or Ques 2 could be made. Although no true characteristics  
of Christopher Francis Burke, they are not distinctive enough.

The middle portion of the note is a copy from "The Atticado"  
by Gilbert and Sullivan. It is noted portions of "The Atticado" had been  
queried in previous specimens. (Laboratory report 4/16/70, CR-31818-70)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

File # 9-49913 - 177  
Lab.# D-740208094 LL  
CR-14164 LC

Examination requested by: San Francisco (9-2296) airtel 2/6/74

Examination requested: Document - Cryptanalytic Date received: 2/8/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by [redacted]

Markings on Qc 63 not b7c  
written in Japanese  
although some characteristics as at  
are similar.  
7-Parf  
Middle phrase from Mikado  
by Gilbert and Sullivan

- Qc62 Photograph of envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE CA 94 AM 29 JAN" bearing the hand printed address "San Fran. Chronicle Please Rush To Editor"
- Qc63 Accompanying hand printed letter beginning "I saw & think."

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: SAC, San Francisco (9-2296)

Date: March 8, 1974

From: Director, FBI

SUBJECT:  
PITTSBURGH

FILE NUMBER:

9-4991-1

B-14030463 LM

OOB: Massachusetts

Examination requested by

San Francisco

Reference:

Airtel dated February 28, 1974

Examination requested by

Document

Remarks:

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2 - Laboratory photographs (2) (2 Lab reports)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

SAC, San Francisco (9-2296)

Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

Date:  
FBI File No.  
Lab. No.

March 8, 1974  
9-A9911  
D-740304063 LL

Specimens received

March 4, 1974

Q664 Photocopy of envelope postmarked "U. S. POSTAL SERVICE,  
CA 94113 PM 2 FEB 1974" bearing the hand printed  
address "Editor San Francisco Chronicle San Francisco,  
California"

Q665 Accompanying photocopy of sheet of paper bearing the  
hand printed message beginning "Dear Mr. Editor,  
Did you know that the....."

Result of examination:

The questioned hand printing on Q664 and Q665  
contain some characteristics which are not entirely  
consistent with the hand printing characteristics contained  
in the Zodiac letters submitted to the laboratory; to date,  
for this reason, it could not be determined whether Q664  
and Q665 were prepared by the writer of the Zodiac letters;  
however, no characteristics were found which would definitely  
establish that Q664 and Q665 were prepared by someone other  
than the writer of the Zodiac letters.

The submitted evidence is retained.

LMS:jim

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

File # 9-39911-  
Lab.# D-740304063 LI 178

OO: SACRAMENTO

Examination requested by: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-3293) Airtel 2/26/74

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 3/4/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED] 3/5

1. NC j.w. this case, including  
Qc64 & Qc65 - same person, variations  
photocopies; same
2. Qc64 & Qc65 retained.

Qc64 Photocopy of envelope postmarked "U. S. POSTAL SERVICE, CA 913  
PM 3 FEB 1974," bearing the hand printed address "Editor  
San Francisco Chronicle San Francisco, California"

Qc65 Accompanying photocopy of sheet of paper bearing the hand printed  
message beginning "Dear Mr. Editor, Did you know  
that the..."

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Washington, D. C. 20535

## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

## LATENT-FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

Case #V-24564

9-49911

A-10042

March 14, 1974

AIRMAIL

TO:

Mr. Albert Cordova  
 Sheriff of Solano County  
 Fairfield, California 94533

ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Letter received March 6, 1974

EXAMINATIONS SUBMITTED BY:

Addressed

SUBMISSIONS:

Fingerprints and palm prints of [REDACTED]

FBI [REDACTED]

b7c  
 The latent prints previously reported in this case were not identical with the submitted prints of [REDACTED]

You will receive a separate report concerning the result of our laboratory examination.

The specimens are enclosed, together with a photograph and arrest record of [REDACTED] which were also submitted.

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MAR 14 1974

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REC-6

EX-12 26 MAR 15 1974

Enclosures (4)

CCO:dkm (dkm)

58 MAR 20 1974

Walter M. Kelley, Director

Telephone No. [REDACTED]

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Director Sec'y [REDACTED]

MAIL ROOM [REDACTED] TELSTYPE UNIT [REDACTED]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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3/6/74 rma Laboratory Work Sheet

## LABORATORY FILE

File # 9-49911-179  
Lab.# D-740306021 LL  
LC# A10042

b7c [REDACTED] received  
Albert Cordozar, Sheriff, Solano County, Fairfield,  
California 94533 (Sheriff per Recording)  
Examination requested by [REDACTED]

Examination requested: DOCUMENT & FINGERPRINTS Date received: 3/6/74

Result of Examination: Examination by: [REDACTED]

Named Suspect: [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

b7c Noted by:

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
Specimens incl with photograph & arrest record  
[REDACTED]

b7c XII. Three sheets of paper bearing the known handwriting  
and/or hand printing of [REDACTED]

XII. Week-At-A-Glance Business Reminder notebook bearing  
the known handwriting and/or hand printing of [REDACTED]

ALSO SUBMITTED: Two palm prints

Photocopies

Photograph of [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Sheriff of Solano County Jail/receive slip  
[REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] pertaining to [REDACTED]

b7c Examination completed 12-00 3/12 Dictated 3/12 Cg

Time

Date

and Date

3-14-74

CC/brak

894 COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT  
IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

TYPE OF CASE: ZODIAC HOMICIDES

CASE NUMBER: SOLANO COUNTY  
#7-24564  
FBI # 9-19911  
LATEN A-10042

SUBJECT(s): [REDACTED] FBI [REDACTED]

QUESTED BY: SERGEANT [REDACTED]

AGENCY: SOLANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

W REQUESTED: UNITED STATES MAIL

RECEIVED BY:

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740306021

WOPSISS: SUBJECT [REDACTED] FITS THE GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF ZODIAC. HE WAS BORN IN [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] HE ATTENDED SCHOOL IN RIVERSIDE CALIF. HE IS EMPLOYED IN OAKLAND CALIF.

[REDACTED] IS A CONVICTED SEX OFFENDER OF CHILDREN.

TYPE OF EXAMINATION:

EVALUATION OF FINGER PRINTS AND PALM PRINTS.

EVALUATION OF HAND WRITING EXEMPLARS SUBMITTED WITH EVIDENCE ON FILE.

MATERIAL SUBMITTED:

- ✓ - 1. TWO YELLOW PAGES OF WRITTEN MATERIAL (PARTIAL TEXT OF ZODIAC MESSAGES.)
- ✓ - 2. RED DIARY WRITTEN BY SUBJECT OVER PERIOD OF ONE YEAR.
- ✓ - 3. PALM PRINTS OF SUBJECT OF LEFT AND RIGHT HANDS.
- ✓ - 4. ONE WHITE SHEET CONTAINING ZODIAC TEXT, WRITTEN WITH INK PEN BY SUBJECT.
- ✓ - 5. SOLANO COUNTY JAIL ARREST RECORD.

RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS:

REPOSITION OF MATERIAL:

DATE WRITTEN:

REPORTED BY:

and  
3-14-74  
ccy/dmk

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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2/6/74 rma

Laboratory Work Sheet

NOLAB FILE

Re:

Suspect

File # 9-49912-179  
Lab.# D-740306021 LL

[REDACTED]

Zodiac;  
Extortion and Homicide

Examination requested by: SHERIFF OF SOLANO COUNTY (SV-24564)  
CALIFORNIA

Examination requested: DOCUMENT - FINGERPRINT

Date received: 3/5/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

- 670/1092  
3-7-74 b/w
1. NC Zodiac letters submitted to Laboratory to date → [REDACTED]
  2. K11-K12, lack significant char. material available for comparison.
  3. Nothing noted epoxidation which suggest addition of [REDACTED] of value.
  - K1.1 Three sheets of paper bearing the known handwriting and hand printing of [REDACTED]
  - K1.2 Week-At-A-Glance Business Reminder notebook bearing the known handwriting and hand printing of [REDACTED]
- b7c

ALSO SUBMITTED: Two palm prints

Photograph of [REDACTED]

Photocopies Photocopy of Solano County Jail record form  
Photocopies of Fingerprint card, FBI Master form, and FBI record

pertaining to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]





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While [REDACTED] could not be definitely eliminated as a possible suspect in this matter on the basis of the band-marking comparison, nothing of significance was noted in the examination which suggest that additional known exemplars of [REDACTED] would be of value. It is suggested that other suspects be considered in this matter.

K11 and K12 are returned herewith. Appropriate photographs are retained. The disposition of the also identified items will be furnished with the results of the general laboratory examination.

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3/6/74 rma

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: [REDACTED]

Specimen:

NOLAB FILE

File # 9-49911-180  
Lab.# D-740306021 LL

ADMITTED BY MAIL

Zodiac letter  
Extortion and Homicide

Examination requested by: SHERIFF OF SOLANO COUNTY (#V-24564)  
CALIFORNIA

Examination requested: DOCUMENT - FINGERPRINT Date received: 3/5/74

Result of Examination: Examination by: [REDACTED]

- b7c 1. NC Zodiac letter submitted to Laboratory to date → [REDACTED]  
K11-L12, lack significant char. material available for comparison.
- b7c 2. Nothing noted examination which suggest additional of [REDACTED] of value.
- K11 Three sheets of paper bearing the known handwriting of [REDACTED]  
hand printing of [REDACTED]
- K12 Week-At A-Glance Business Reminder notebook bearing the known handwriting of [REDACTED]

ALSO SUBMITTED: Two palm prints

Photograph of [REDACTED]

Photocopy of Solano County Jail record, form, [REDACTED] record  
[REDACTED]

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT  
COUNTY OF SOLANO - STATE OF CALIFORNIA

500 Texas St.  
Fairfield, Ca. 94533  
Bldg. 707-422-2611  
Emerg. 707-422-7600

1350 Virginia St.  
Vallejo, Ca. 94590  
707-643-4498



Presented By \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_

DETECTIVE SERGEANT

Please keep this card for reference

pertaining to [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911) (Attn: FBI Laboratory, and Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, LC #A-10042)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-6854) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

DATE: 4/11/74

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*dc* *Re: Sacramento airtel to Bureau dated 2/6/74:*

*cc: De N* Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory are the following:

- b7c *H* *78*
1. Three 8½" x 11" lined three-hole note paper containing hand printing to the effect, "Bates had to die. There will be more." Z," as well as three envelopes postmarked 4/30/67 at Riverside, California, addressed to [REDACTED] Press Enterprise, and Riverside Police Department.
  2. Two envelopes, bearing no stamps, addressed in heavy felt type printing to the, "Homicide Detail, Riverside" and the Daily Enterprise, Riverside, California.
  3. Two carbon copies of a typed letter entitled, "The Confession."
  4. Two copies of an 8" x 10" photograph of hand printing on a plywood board desk top.

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*b7c* Detective [REDACTED] Riverside, California, Police Department, advised the carbon copies of the typewritten letter entitled, "The Confession" were mailed to the Riverside Police Department and the Press Enterprise, a Riverside newspaper, the first part of 1967. The original of this letter was not mailed to anyone to the knowledge of [REDACTED]

- ENCLOSURE* REC-24 9-49911-181
- 1 - Bureau (Enc. 12) (RM)  
1 - Sacramento (9-68) (Info)  
1 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Info)  
2 - Los Angeles  
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b7c the Riverside Police Department. Detective [REDACTED] related "The Confession" described details of the murder of CHERI JO BATES and the manner in which her vehicle was disabled which would have been known only to the unknown subject who murdered her.

He advised the hand printed letters stating, in effect, "Bates had to die, there will be more" had been received after "The Confession" letter had been received.

b7c Detective [REDACTED] stated that after an article by reporter PAUL AVERY in the San Francisco Chronicle in early 1971, in which AVERY claimed the CHERI JO BATES murder had been committed by Zodiac, Zodiac thereafter directed a letter to the Chronicle in which he claimed responsibility for this murder.

[REDACTED] Detective [REDACTED] stated that several months after the CHERI JO BATES murder, the poem which starts, "Sick of living/Unwilling to die...", was discovered in the library at Riverside City College, Riverside, California, where CHERI JO BATES was attending at the time of her murder. He pointed out the night she was murdered she had left the library in which this poem was discovered. He said it had apparently been written with a blue ball point pen into the soft wood of a plywood study desk.

b7c Detective [REDACTED] stated that all latent fingerprints in instant case had been submitted to the Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, on 11/4/66. Detective [REDACTED] exhibited a letter from the Latent Fingerprint Section dated 11/15/66 which reflected Latent Case #73096 had been assigned to the Riverside submissions. He added that from the latents previously submitted to the Bureau, only four fingerprints and three partial palm prints remain unidentified.

#### REQUESTS OF THE BUREAU

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the handwriting or hand printing of the enclosed documents with previously submitted samples of the handwriting or hand printing attributable to Zodiac.

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It is pointed out that all items being submitted have been processed chemically by the Riverside, California, Police Department for any latent prints.

On completion of the examination by the FBI Laboratory, it is requested the enclosed documents, all which are originals and are evidence in the CHERI JO BATES murder case, be returned to Los Angeles for return to the Riverside, California, Police Department.

The FBI Identification Division, Latent Finger-print Section, is requested to compare the latent fingerprints and partial palm prints previously submitted by the Riverside Police Department to the Identification Division on 11/4/66, Latent Case #73096, with other latent prints on previously submitted samples by the Sacramento and San Francisco Offices.

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Los Angeles (62-8854)

Date: May 2, 1974

From: Director, FBI

Re: **ZODIAC**  
**ATTORNEY-GENERAL**

EX-709

REC-135 FBI Lab N. 9-98811-18

Lab. N. 9-98811-18

DDI: Sacramento

Communication originated by: Los Angeles

Letter dated April 11, 1974

Communication requested: Document - Fingerprint

Specimen:

The submitted evidence will be returned with  
the fingerprint report.



Enclosures (2) (7-lab report)

A-1 (62-8854-1841)

2 - Sacramento (4-48) enclosure (5) (7-lab report)  
2 - San Francisco (5-2284) Enclosure (2) (7-lab report)

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: SAC, Los Angeles (62-8854)

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Dated: May 2, 1974  
File No.: 9-49911  
Lab. No.: D-740422017 LL

Specimens received April 19, 1974

- Q55 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CA APR 30 PM 1967" bearing the hand printed address [REDACTED] Riverside California
- Q56 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "She had To...."
- Q57 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE CA APR 30 PM 1967" bearing the hand printed address "Riverside Police Dept. Riverside, Calif."
- Q58 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "Hates had To...."
- Q59 Accompanying newspaper clipping bearing photograph
- Q60 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CA APR 30 PM 1967" bearing the hand printed address "PRESS Enterprise 3817 14th Street -Riverside-California"
- Q71 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "Hates had To...."
- Q72 Envelope, not postmarked, bearing hand printed address "HOMICIDE DETAIL RIVERSIDE"
- Q74 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CALIF NOV 29 PM 1966" bearing the hand printed address "DAILY ENTERPRISE RIVERSIDE CALIF ATT "CRIME"
- Q75 Two carbon copies of typewritten message beginning "THE CONFESION 'SHK MAR YOUNG.....'
- Q676 Two photographs of hand printing on desk top beginning "Sick of living, unwilling to...."

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**Result of examination:**

It was not determined whether the questioned hand printing on Q66 through Qc76 was prepared by the writer of the Zodiac letters, submitted previously in this case, because of variations in the Q66 through Qc76 material. Nothing of particular handwriting significance was noted, however, in the comparisons.

The submitted evidence was photographed and will be returned separately.



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

LATENT

File # 9-k9911 182  
Lab. # D-740422017 LL

LC#A-10042

Examination requested by: Los Angeles (62-6854)

letter 4/11/74

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 4/19/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Compare latents developed in Captioned  
case with latents developed in case  
entitled:

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Q69 - CHERRI JO BATES-  
VICTIM, RIVERSIDE, CALIF., 10/30/68

Noted By:

MURDER  
BUFILE # 32-27195  
LCR 73095

Specimen for latent prior sub (swab + powder)

Q69 + Q71 L photo s/s

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Q66 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CA APR 30 PM  
1967, CA" bearing the hand printed address  
[REDACTED] Riverside California"

Q67 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "She Had To...."

Q68 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE CA APR 30 PM 1967" bearing the  
hand printed address "Riverside Police Dept. Riverside,  
Calif."

Q69 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "Bates had To...."

- 1-San Francisco (9-0296)  
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- 2-Sacramento (9-68)
- 1-Bufile 32-27195

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- Q70 Accompanying newspaper clipping bearing photograph
- Q70a Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CA APR 30 PM 1967" bearing the hand printed address "PRESS Enterprise 3512 14th Street Riverside, California"
- Q72 Accompanying hand printed message beginning "Bates had to....."
- Q73 Envelope, not postmarked, bearing hand printed address "HOMICIDE DETAIL RIVERSIDE"
- Q74 Envelope postmarked "RIVERSIDE, CALIF NOV 29 PM 1966" bearing the hand printed address "DAILY ENTERPRISE RIVERSIDE CALIF ATTN CRIME"
- Q75 Two carbon copies of typewritten message beginning "THE CONFESSION SHE WAS YOUNG....."
- Q75 Two photographs of hand printing on desk top beginning "Sick of living, unwilling to....."

1st print of vol pree on specie as follows:

1 print on Q69 (nm)

1 print from extreme top area on Q75 (powder)

no lat prints of vol pree on remaining spots

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D-740622017 LL

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Date: 8/9/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL(Priority) *b7c*TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION,  
IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (9-2548) (P)

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

OO: SACRAMENTO

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Re San Francisco airtel to Cleveland, 8/2/74.

*b7c*

Enclosed for the Laboratory is a copy of [REDACTED] zodiac symbol, a plastic envelope containing four (4) sheets of paper with [REDACTED] printing, and one (1) photo of [REDACTED]. Enclosed for San Francisco and Sacramento is a copy of the [REDACTED] zodiac symbol and one (1) photo of [REDACTED].

The enclosed Xerox copy of the zodiac symbol is utilized by [REDACTED] a Cleveland pimp. He has this symbol on the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is described as follows:

Race: *X-11D* White  
Sex: Male

Height: [REDACTED]

- ① Bureau (Enc. 6) (RM)  
1 - Sacramento (Enc. 2) (RM) REC'D 9-9-74  
1 - San Francisco (Enc. 2) (RM)  
3 - Cleveland  
(I 31-5415)

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RCA:pjm  
(9)*ENCLOSURE*Approved: *H/Gm* Sept: M Per:  
Special Agent in Charge

U.S. Government Printing Office: 1972 - 455-574

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Weight:

Eyes:

Hair:

Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

SSAN:

FBI #:

On [REDACTED] pled guilty at U.S. District Court to one (1) count of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2142, ITAR - Prostitution. He was sentenced to one year and fined \$5,000. Besides [REDACTED] interests in prostitution, he is the owner of the [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] who is the previous to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the passenger [REDACTED]

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According to informants closed to [REDACTED] it is felt that [REDACTED] during the late 1960's - early 1970's, was responsible or has some knowledge of the murders of MARLENE STEELS, TOM BROWN and ARNIE PRUNELLA, all from the Cleveland area. From investigation to date, it is felt that [REDACTED] is capable of murder and is demented. One incident recounted by a source revealed that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
As a further insight to [REDACTED] personality he features himself as the "father of prostitution" and constantly fancies himself as an important crime figure having sinister capabilities and by his actions does his best to foster same.

b7C  
The Laboratory Document Section is requested to compare the zodiac sign and [REDACTED] printing with documents received in the ZODIAC murder case and furnish

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results to Sacramento and Cleveland. The Laboratory is requested to return to Cleveland the plastic folder with the printed material.

b7c The Identification Division is requested to compare [REDACTED] fingerprints with latents on file in the ZODINC case, Bufile 9-49914, Latent Case Number A-10042, and furnish results to Sacramento.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

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1-MP

SAC, Cleveland (9-2648)

Date: August 23, 1974

REC-123

From: Director, FBI

To: ZODIAC

MURKIN

DGI - Sacramento

RE: 103  
FBI-PhN 9-2648111 113

Lab. No. H-74081165A LL

Specimen submitted by

Cleveland

Specimen received

Airtel dated August 9, 1974

Specimen recommended

Document - Fingerprint

Specimen received

The results of the requested instant fingerprint examination will be furnished separately.

MM: D.F.

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- 1 - Sacramento (9-68) Enclosures (4) (2 Lab report)  
1 - San Francisco (9-2788) Enclosure (1 Lab report)  
1 - Cleveland (H-8416) Enclosure (1 Lab report)

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

SAC, Cleveland (9-2548)

Date:

FBI File No.

August 23, 1974

Lab. No.

D-48911

ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

D-740815058 LL

Specimen received

August 14, 1974

Four wheels of paper bearing known writing of [REDACTED]

Also submitted: Zodiac sign and photograph of [REDACTED]

## Result of examination:

It was not definitely determined whether the Zodiac letters submitted to the laboratory to date were prepared by [REDACTED] because of a lack of significant characteristics in the material available for comparison.

While [REDACTED] could not be definitely eliminated as a possible suspect in this matter on the basis of the handwriting described, evidence of significance was noted in the handwriting which suggests that additional known exemplars of [REDACTED] would be of value. It is suggested that other suspects be considered in this matter.

The submitted evidence is returned herewith. Representative photographs are retained.

GMC:jm  
8-18-74

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8/16/74  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

File # 9-49913 183  
Lab.# D-740815058 LL

OO: Sacramento

Examination requested by: Cleveland (9-2548) airtel 8/9/74

Examination requested: Document & Fingerprint Date received: 8/15/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by [REDACTED] 8/22

b7c. MC Zodiac letters submitted Laboratory to date → [REDACTED] K13, had significant characteristics material available for comparison.

1. Nothing noted upon which suggest additional of value.
2. K13 <sup>A.S.</sup> referred. Photo.

T.F. LFP Adam report - b7c  
K13 Four sheets of paper bearing known writing of [REDACTED]

ALSO SUBMITTED: Zodiac sign and photograph of [REDACTED]

2. Sacramento 9-68
1. San Francisco 9-2296
1. Cleveland 31-5416

JDN #  
8/23/74

FBI

Date: 8/16/74

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
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Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are two (2) copies each for the FBI-Laboratory and one (1) copy each for Sacramento of the following listed items:

- 1) Photo copy of letter beginning "Editor  
of Marco back, . . ." and signed "The Red Phantom from W.  
Rogel"
- 2) Photo copy of envelope addressed to "Editor  
San Francisco Chronicle, San Francisco, California" in which item one was transmitted.
- 3) Photo copy of message side of postcard, beginning "Sir, I would like to express my . . ." and signed "A Citizen".
- 4) Photo copy of address side of item three,  
postcard addressed to "Editor, San Francisco Chronicle,  
5th and Mission, San Francisco".

Bureau (Enc. 8)  
Sacramento (Enc. 4)  
San Francisco

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8/16/74

Approved:

Sent:

M. Per

Special Agent in Charge

SP 9-2296  
JGR/pas

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The above listed items were furnished to the San Francisco Division by Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail, San Francisco Police Department. The original of the above listed items of evidence in the Zodiac case were processed by San Francisco Police Department technicians and are being maintained by that department.

[REDACTED] These photo copies are being furnished to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with previous exhibits submitted in captioned case. For the information of the FBI Laboratory, it will be noted that Inspector [REDACTED] advised that the local San Francisco press has published [REDACTED] that these items are the work of Zodiac; however, Inspector [REDACTED] advised confidentially that [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Francisco (4-2204)

Date: September 6, 1974

From: Director, FBI

44-2145

EX-103

DDT - Miscellaneous

REC-727

CB-File No. 4-49911

4-740821439 12

Examination requested by:

San Francisco

AL-2204 dated 8/18/74

Examination requested by:

San Francisco

Examination requested by:

San Francisco

Specimen(s) (1) (Other Spec.)  
FBI Laboratory (44-2145) Reference (44-2204)  
Date: SEP 6 1974

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74-2204-374

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, San Francisco (4-3204)  
Re: SAC  
KODAK CO.

Date: September 6, 1974  
FBI File No. 42-36911  
Lab. No. DWI 00001010 LL

Specimens received 8/20/74

- Q#77 Microscopy of several pieces of printed material found on  
hand printed address "MILLION DOLLAR HOTEL"  
San Francisco, California.
- Q#78 Microscopy of hand printed surface handwriting "MILLION  
DOLLAR HOTEL" and signed "..., THE MILLION".
- Q#79 Microscopy of address side of postcard postmarked  
"POWELL STATION, CA 94157" 8 MAY 1974 bearing hand  
printed address "MILLION DOLLAR HOTEL & MOTEL  
SAN FRANCISCO".
- Q#80 Microscopy of address side of Q#79 postcard showing  
hand printed inscription "MILLION DOLLAR HOTEL &  
MOTEL SAN FRANCISCO".

#### Results and conclusions:

The hand printing on Q#77 and Q#78 consists of three  
postcards which are identical with the hand printing  
on the postcard postmarked 8 MAY 1974. The  
hand printing on Q#79 and Q#80 is identical with the  
hand printing on Q#77 and Q#78. The hand printing  
on Q#79 and Q#80 is identical with the hand printing  
on the postcard postmarked 8 MAY 1974.

It was not definitely determined whether the hand printing  
was printed on Q#77 and Q#78 or Q#79 and Q#80. The  
hand printing on Q#79 and Q#80 is identical with the hand printing  
on the postcard postmarked 8 MAY 1974.

The submitted evidence is retained.

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8/22/74  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

File # XXXXXX 8-49911  
Lab.# D-740821012 LC

Examination requested by: San Francisco (9-2296) airtel 8/1k6/74

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 8/20/74

Result of Examination:

Examination by [redacted] 670 7/5

1. NC Qc77 & Qc78 → Zodiac letter,  
inconsistency.
2. NC Qc79 & Qc80 → Zodiac letter,  
variations; same.
3. Evidence retained.

- Qc77 Photocopy of envelope bearing illegible postmark and hand printed address "Editor San Francisco Chronicle San Francisco, California"
- Qc78 Photocopy of hand printed letter beginning "Editor Put Marco back....." and signed "...the Red Phantom"  
Address side of postcard
- Qc79 Photocopy of envelope postmarked " POSTAL SERVICE, CA 945 P.M. MAY 1974" bearing hand printed address "Editor SF Chronicle 5th & Mission San Fran"  
Address side of postcard beginning bearing hand printing
- Qc80 Photocopy of hand printed address "Sirs - I would like to express....." and signed "... A citizen"

LAB REPORT  
9/16/74  
LMS/MHS

2 - Sacramento (9-68)

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Oct 19 Editor  
SF Chronicle

Oct 20 Jack taste  
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by your running

Oct 27 Chronicle  
California  
Marco back in the

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20535

## REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

TO:

SAC, Cleveland

5-2848  
5-47921  
A-10062

September 9, 1974

REFERENCE

EXAMINATION **MURKIN, JAMES**

SPECIMEN

**Cleveland**

MAILED 9

SEP 9 1974

FBI

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EX-172

SEP 10 1974

Africa, D.C.  
Asia, All Areas  
Central America  
Europe  
Latin America  
Middle East  
North Africa  
South America  
South Africa  
South Korea  
Southeast Asia  
Western Europe  
Yugoslavia

Laboratory Report Attached

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W. R. McRae, Director

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Laboratory Work SheetFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICERe: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SacramentoFile # 9-49911-  
Lab # D-740815058 <sup>185</sup>  
LC# A-10042

Examination requested by: Cleveland (9-2548) airtel 8/9/74

Examination requested: Document &amp; Fingerprint Date received: 8/15/74

Result of Examination:

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Examination by [redacted]

Named Suspect:

[redacted] FBI [redacted] g

Noted By: [redacted]

Collected Assum 8-26-44cc

Lat fptd perw up (upside down) w/ misfor on  
 b7 possible fptd [redacted] - no g. Rem lat fptd  
 not fptd [redacted] no fptd Kilbane. 8-27  
 acc

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K13 Four sheets of paper bearing known writing of [redacted]

ALSO SUBMITTED: Zodiac sign and photograph of [redacted] *[Signature]*

Examination completed 1:50AM 8-27-74 dictated 8-27-74  
 Time Date dictated Date

Mr. [REDACTED] 7801 Mr. 7612  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7114 Mr. 7629  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7133 Mr. 7533  
 Mr. [REDACTED] Annex Mr. 7609  
 Mr. [REDACTED] Mr. 7614  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7601 Mr. 7613  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7805 Mr. 7609  
 Mr. [REDACTED] Mr. 7633  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7624 Mr. 7635  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7814 Mr. 7625  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7334 Mr. 7617  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7617 Mr. 7626  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7628 Mr. 7634  
 Mr. [REDACTED] 7336 Mr. 7627  
 Mrs. [REDACTED] 7601 Mr. 7613  
 Mrs. [REDACTED] 7601 Mr. 7618  
 Mrs. [REDACTED] 7147 Mr. 7633  
 Miss [REDACTED] 7148 Mr. 7625  
 Miss [REDACTED] 7621 Mr. 7629  
 Miss [REDACTED] 7621 Mr. 7628  
 Miss [REDACTED] 7621 Mr. 7334

Assignment Clerk 7605 Data Processing 6221 IB  
 Miss [REDACTED] 7613 Photo Unit 7314  
 Mail Room 5531 Mechanical Section B-110  
 Corres. Rev. Unit 5533

L.F.P.S. 6137 IB Consolidation 7231  
 Assembly Locate 3230 IB Records Section  
 Assembly Section 2211 IB  
 Technical Section 3201 IB Mr.  
 Correspondence Unit 5208 IB Room \_\_\_\_\_

No request for  
 latent treatment of  
 evidence submitted  
 with attached Airtel-  
 Lab will return all

Status \_\_\_\_\_ evidence to Cleveland.  
 Initial \_\_\_\_\_  
 Handle \_\_\_\_\_ L.F.P.S. handle last  
 See Me \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Me \_\_\_\_\_  
 Call File \_\_\_\_\_  
 Note and Route \_\_\_\_\_  
 Note and Return \_\_\_\_\_  
 Place on Record \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: 9/30/74

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(Priority) -

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911) ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
 FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)  
 SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION  
 OO: SACRAMENTO

Mr. [REDACTED] b7c Seaside, California, who was contacted regarding another matter on 8/27/74, advised that he has followed the ZODIAC case in the newspapers and has developed considerable interest in this matter. He stated that [REDACTED] recently applied for a sales position and after reviewing the man's application and considering his application, felt that there was a remote possibility that [REDACTED] could be identical with "ZODIAC." He furnished the following descriptive data:

Name: [REDACTED]  
 DOB: [REDACTED]  
 Race: White  
 Sex: Male  
 Height: [REDACTED] b7c  
 Weight: [REDACTED]  
 SSAN: [REDACTED] X6117  
 Military Service: [REDACTED]

The Identification Division is requested to compare the fingerprints of [REDACTED] if available, with the latent prints previously submitted in this matter.

- ① - Bureau  
 ② - Sacramento (9-68) (INFO)  
 2 - San Francisco  
 JGR:klc  
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W.E.B.  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M  
 Special Agent in Charge



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 10/3/74, 11:55 a.m. tao

Reference No: 9-2296

FBI File No: 9-49911

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Received: 10/3/74

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 9/30/74

Specimen:

Named Suspect:

W/M, [REDACTED] SSAN: [REDACTED]

b7c from [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] Visalia, California  
SO [REDACTED]

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Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by:

Court C.I. called 10/3 fed  
Name to exam C.I. 10/3Exam 10/17/74  
scph

New incident lat prints and swabs (fists or pips) compared with prints  
 b7C of [REDACTED] but no effects - some of the lat prints are from  
 extreme side, tips and lower joint areas of fingers and 1 HEC  
 conclusive comps not possible - major case prints were  
 for complete comps of tip, side, and lower joint areas and with  
 previously reported lat pips

Examination completed 10/10/74 Time 10/10/74 Date Dictated 10/10/74

2-Sacramento (9-68)

FBI

Date: 2/14/75

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LFS

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SC

AT VALLEJO, CALIFORNIA:

b7c  
On 2/13/75, Detective Sergeant [REDACTED] Vallejo Police Department, advised that his Department is in receipt of information suggesting as a possible suspect in this matter one [REDACTED] white male American, DOB [REDACTED] presently residing at [REDACTED] Fairfield, California. [REDACTED] is retired from the Military Service. Sgt. [REDACTED] requested a comparison of [REDACTED] fingerprints against the latent prints on file at the FBI-Identification Division in this matter.

REQUEST OF BUREAU

b7c Will compare latent prints in this case against fingerprints of [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED] Sacramento will furnish Vallejo FD with results of examination.

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EX-105

9-49911-87

1. Bureau  
2. Sacramento  
GJM:msl  
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Approved:

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_



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**BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Washington, D. C. 20537

# REPORT

## **IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**

PATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUNG FILM CO.

FEB 1980

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REC-59-68  
E NO. 9-49911-187  
4-10042

March 3, 1973

TO: SAC - Beaumont

THE JOURNAL OF CLIMATE

REFERENCE: Airtel 2/14/75  
COMMUNICATION RECD: 2/14/75 BY: BARRY MCGEE  
SIC: 3145

Instant Fingerprint Examination Applied to the Fingerprints  
obtained from Fingerprinted persons in the State of California  
during the year 1910, but no identification was effected.

Major wave prints are necessary for conclusive comparison of latent fingerprints made by the areas of fingers and latent impressions. No wave prints available identification positive. File for future reference.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 2/18/75 10:50 a.m. ji

Reference No:  
FBI File No:

9-68

Received: 2/18/75

Latest Case No: 9-49911-187  
A- 10042

Answer to:

SAC, Sacramento

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE:  
ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 2/14/75

Specimen(s): Name submitted for comparison purposes:

b7c [REDACTED] /DOB: [REDACTED] and NO PP's  
FBI# [REDACTED]

Result of examination:

conv/call 2/15 JH

Examination by:  
Evidence noted by: b7c [REDACTED]

Name to crime card 2/15

b7c Lat prints prev rep. this case compd for [REDACTED] no p  
no c prints needed for conclusive comp. It types + for conv'td AP's

Ottie [Signature]  
BS [Signature]

Examination completed 2:22 p.m. 2/22 Dictated 2/22 2:22 p.m.  
Time Date Date

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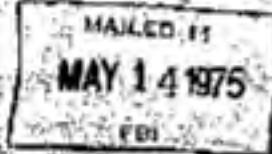
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE May 15, 1975

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

TO Chief of Police  
San Francisco Police Department  
Attention: Inspector [REDACTED] b7c  
Homicide Bureau  
Hall of Justice  
850 Bryant Street  
San Francisco, California 94103

Specimens Q81, Q82 & Q83



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- P-3  
 Radio Engineering  
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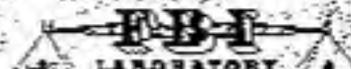
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Mail Room: Show shipment date and registry number.  
Shipping Room: Show shipment date, bbl or listing number.  
Serial invoice: return to Section checked in block; after  
listing in block, invoice to be placed in administrative file.

5/14/75

57 MAY 16 1975  
J/55

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

1 - Mr. [redacted]

b7c

To: Chief of Police  
San Francisco Police Department  
Hall of Justice  
650 Bryant Street  
San Francisco, California 94103

May 16, 1975

AIRMAIL

Attention: [redacted]  
[redacted] b7c

This examination has been made with the understanding that the evidence is connected with the criminal investigation of a criminal matter and that the Laboratory report will be used for official purposes only related to the investigation or a subsequent criminal prosecution. Authorization cannot be granted for the use of the Laboratory report in connection with a civil proceeding.

**200340**  
**EXAMINATION**

EX-101

Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

FILE NO.

REC-3

FBI FILE NO. 44-34911-188

Examination requested by: [redacted]

LAB. NO. 00-14847-30

Reference: Lecture, 4/10/75

Examination requested: May 14, 1975

Specimens received: 4/11/75

QSL: Detection of the Radio station handwriting on the first page.  
[redacted]Envelope tape with an attached strip of paper with text:  
[redacted] Please play this tape [redacted]Envelope tape with an attached strip of paper with text:  
[redacted] Pls. play this tape [redacted]

Results of examinations:

May 14 1975	QSL	Specimen QSL, QSL and QSL
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Specimen QSL, QSL and QSL

Specimens QSL, QSL and QSL are being retained separately.

7000 16th Street, San Francisco, with copy of incoming letter.

RECORDED  
5/12/75  
1jk

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

File # 9-49911  
Lab.# CR-14347 IG

Examination requested by: San Francisco Letter dated 4/18/75

Examination requested: Cryptanalysis

Date received: 4/21/75

Result of Examination:

b7c Examination by: [redacted]

Q82,83 describe Q81. Q81 gives the beginnings  
of numerous "decryptions", none of which make  
much sense and none of which continue thru  
the entire message.

7-PUP

- |     |   |
|-----|---|
| Q81 | Treatise on the Zodiac ciphers beginning on the first page, "To the District..."                  |
| Q82 | Cassette tape with an attached slip of paper with text beginning "Please play this tape first..." |
| Q83 | Cassette tape with an attached slip of paper with text beginning "Pls. play this tape 2nd..."     |

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911) DATE: 4/23/75  
ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-6854)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: SACRAMENTO

b7C b7D b7E  
RE: Sacramento letter to Los Angeles dated  
3/27/75

For the information of the Bureau, [REDACTED] of Nampa, Idaho, confidentially advised the Seattle Office on 2/5/75, that during 1968 - 1969 he resided in Riverside, California, and was employed [REDACTED] with a [REDACTED] who resided in Riverside, California, during the period of time that murders occurred in the San Francisco, California area, reportedly committed by ZODIAC. [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] had brought suspicions as possibly being a suspect in these murders and from information furnished by [REDACTED]

SHERRI PATES was murdered on 10/30/66, at [REDACTED] Riverside, California, which murder has been attributed to and claimed by ZODIAC.

Detecctive [REDACTED] Homicide Detail, Riverside, California Police Department, on 4/9/75, identified the [REDACTED] as being identical to [REDACTED]

b7C Date of birth [REDACTED] Social Security No. [REDACTED] and CII No. [REDACTED] who was last arrested by the Riverside Police Department on [REDACTED] for driving while intoxicated, booking number [REDACTED]

- 1 - Bureau  
1 - San Francisco (9-49911) EX-100  
2 - Sacramento  
2 - Los Angeles

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[REDACTED] pointed out the murder of SHERRI BATES occurred on 10/30/68 and not during 1968 - 1969, when the subsequent murder contributed to ZODIAC occurred in the San Francisco area.

b7c  
The Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, is requested to compare the known fingerprints of [REDACTED] with latents on file which have been previously submitted by Los Angeles and San Francisco in the ZODIAC case. Results of the examination should be furnished to the Los Angeles, Sacramento and San Francisco Divisions.



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**  
Washington, D. C. 20537  
**REPORT**  
of the  
**IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**

**EX-110** PATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 62-5854  
FBI FILE NO. REC-14 2-49911 -189  
LATENT CASE NO. A-10042

May 12, 1975

TO: SAC, Los Angeles

ZODIAC  
WATER SYSTEMS

REFERENCE **LAWRENCE 4-23-73**  
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY **Los Angeles**  
SPECIMEN

One latent fingerprint previously reported as being from tip area of a finger and two latent impressions previously reported or being either fingerprints or portions of palm prints could, however, be possible. Fingerprints of

the following year, he was appointed to the post of *Minister of State* in the cabinet of Prime Minister *John Maynard Keynes*. In 1945, he became the first *Minister of Economic Affairs* in the Labour government of *Attlee*, and in 1947 he was appointed *Minister of Supply*. He was knighted in 1948.

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Clarence M. Kelley, Director

May 2019

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 4/29/75 2:00 p.m. skj

Reference No: 62-6854

Received: 4/29/75

FBI File No: 9-49911

Latent Case No: A-10042

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Answer to: SAC, Los Angeles

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC, EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Letter 4/23/75  
Specimens:

Named Suspect:

b7c

FBI

Result of examination:

Examination by: b7c  
Evidence noted by:

4/30/75

CI -

5/1/75

CON LOC

5/2/75

2cc: Sent for Western  
1cc: Specimen to  
FBI, SAN FRANCISCO 9-2296

Examination completed

9:00 AM

5/8/75

Dictated

5/8/75

5/2/13

31 sets of feds per report the last month  
18 sets [REDACTED]

b7c 1 set fed (109) & 2 sets pps were reported. This  
comprised 10 sets of pps, 1 set of [REDACTED] pps  
and pps overall for 20 sets with 13 from [REDACTED]  
etc pps

FBI

Date: 7/9/75

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type or plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL

(Priority) -

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
 ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION,  
 LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION,  
 LATENT CASE #A10042

PCY  
FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION  
 OO: Sacramento

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REC-29

b7c

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original of  
 a note.

Enclosed for San Francisco are  
 two xerox copies of the above note.

b7C  
b7D On [REDACTED] one [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] Presno, California, contacted the Presno  
 PD and furnished the enclosed note. [REDACTED] explained  
 that over the [REDACTED] weekend he had visited  
 [REDACTED] at [REDACTED]  
 residence, [REDACTED] California, telephone  
 [REDACTED] showed [REDACTED]  
 a [REDACTED] bearing California license  
 which [REDACTED] claimed had been [REDACTED]

The car had not been driven for some time and had no california  
 1975 registration tags.

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REC-29

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- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 1)  
 2 - San Francisco (9-2296) (Enc. 2)  
 1 - Sacramento  
 JAR:cap  
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*referred*  
*lab report*  
*7-23-75*  
*lms:asc*

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent: \_\_\_\_\_ M Per: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge

[REDACTED] advised that on the [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] This note reads  
as follows:

b6  
b7c  
[REDACTED] advised that he wrote the [REDACTED]  
and the telephone number [REDACTED] on the back of this  
note.

[REDACTED] advised that he has read a great deal about  
the ZODIAC murder case and feels this note may have been  
written by ZODIAC. He advised he further suspects this  
may be involved because of  
B7E because [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] advised he reported this to the Fresno Police Department but  
did not feel anything was done with the information, and he  
therefore, contacted the FBI with his present information.

According to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]  
both employed as [REDACTED] San Francisco,  
he employed as [REDACTED]  
Fresno, California.

SC 9-68

b7c  
b7d [REDACTED] denied that he has [REDACTED] and requested that his identity be kept confidential.

The Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to examine this note for any latents of value and compare them with other questioned latents in this case. The Laboratory is requested to conduct appropriate hand writing comparisons of this note with known writing of the subject.

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SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. Will make this information available to San Francisco Police Department

1 = Mr.

FBI

LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Sacramento (9-68)

July 23, 1975

From: Director, FBI

EX 104 REC 27  
FBI FILE NO.

9-49911-190

LAB. NO.

D-75D714096 LL

Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

OO: Sacramento

Examination requested by:

Sacramento

Reference:

Airtel dated 7/9/75

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

Q84 will be returned with the fingerprint report.



Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

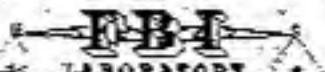
1 - San Francisco (9-2898) Enclosure (Lab report)

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REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Sacramento (9-68)

July 23, 1975

FBI FILE NO. 9-49911

LAB. NO. D-750714096 LL

Re: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

7/14/75

Specimens received

Q84 Slip of paper bearing handwritten and hand printed message beginning "EQUINOX 3:33 p.m., ..."

## Result of examination:

It was not determined whether the questioned writing on Q84 was prepared by the person who prepared the items in this case attributed to the Zodiac because of a lack of comparable material. It is noted that Q84 was largely handwritten and the material attributed to the Zodiac was largely hand printed.

Q84 was photographed and will be returned separately.

LMS:asc  
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RECORDED  
7-15-75  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-68)

NO LAB FILE

FBI FILE NO. 9-49911-190

LAB. NO. D-750714096 LL

YOUR NO.

Examination by:

7/21

Re:  
ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

Examination requested by: SACRAMENTO

Reference: Airtel dated 7-9-75

Examination requested: Doc fppt

Specimen received: 7-19-75

Q84 slip of paper bearing handwritten and hand printed message beginning "BOVINOX 3:33 p.m. ...."

1. MC q.w. Q84 → item this case attributed to the Zodiac, look comparable material. Noted Q84 largely h.w. + material attributed to Zodiac largely h.p.
2. Q84 photo's returned LFB.
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